WEATHER.

Partly cloudy Thursday; Friday fair.

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GREAT CROWDS GREET MR. WILSON ON TRIP TO THE MIDDLE WEST

Thousands Pack Railroad Stations as He Goes Through Ohio, Indiana and Illinois.

SHAKES HANDS WITH MANY

"I Heard a Republican Say Today He was Going to Vote for You!" One Man Shouted.

PRESIDENT MUCH ENTHUSED

Frequently Remarked on Cordial Receptions Given Him.

Chicago, October 4. — President Wilson, penetrating the Middle West today for his speech in Omaha tomorrow, received noisy welcomes from many thousand persons in Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. He interpreted the enthusiasm to one crowd as meaning "You believe in me." At stop after stop the railroad stations were packed; at several places bands played, and frequently the President remarked on the cordiality.

Refusing to turn his trip into a speech-making tour, the President nevertheless kept up a running fire of remarks at every stop. Interest among those who spoke to him centered most about the eight-hour law for railroad employees.

Brief Stop at Chicago.

Mr. Wilson made a brief stop at Chicago tonight and conferred with Senator Walsh, in charge of Democratic western headquarters; Senator Saulsburg, of Delaware, manager of the senatorial committee and other department heads.

Several hundred persons, including local politicians, railroad men and not a few women, flocked to the train yards and cheered the President when he appeared, and shook hands with those nearest him.

Senator Walsh told him the campaign in the West was" more than satisfactory."

On Platform at Every Stop.

At every stop between Pittsburg, passed early this morning, and Chicago, the President appeared on the rear platform of his private car, waved to the crowds, explained that he was making no speeches and then shook hands with as many as possible.

"I am before the jury and can't say anything," was the way he explained his failure to speak in several towns.

"I am not making a speech-making campaign," said the President at Lima, Ohio, "but it touches me and gratifies me very much to get the greetings I have all along the line, and Ohio has certainly shown her hospitality."

Exchange of Remarks.

"We didn't want a speech; we wanted to see our President," a man called out.

"I don't think much of my speech-making, but I think it is better than I am to look at," Mr. Wilson said.

"We want to see Mrs. Wilson," a man shouted.

"I'll admit she is better worth looking at than I am," replied the President as he brought his wife forward.

"I heard a Republican say today he was going to vote for you," a man called out at Wooster, Ohio.

"He must be a good man," returned Mr. Wilson.

"You were with us in the eight-hour day and we are with you," said a man at Orrville, Ohio., a railroad town.

"Good," the President replied.

Refer to Hughes' Whiskers.

When the President stopped at Valparaiso, Ind., tonight, a crowd, including some students, drew him into a reference to Mr. Hughes' whiskers.

"I haven't any speech to make," said Mr. Wilson. "I have never met you before ,but your manners are very familiar. I am glad to see you."

A man in the crowd called out: "Aren't we glad he hasn't got whiskers?"

"You are a clean-shaven crowd yourself," replied the President.

At Fort Wayne the first stop in Indiana, Mr. Wilson said:

"I haven't anything to say, my fellow citizens, except that it is exceedingly refreshing to get away from official duties and out among the folks again, and the sort of greeting you are giving me fills my heart with a great deal of gratitude. I am heartily obliged to you."

Shakes Hand With Brakeman.

A railroad brakeman, just off duty, pushed out his hand and said:

"Right there, Mr. President. She's dirty, but she's going to hit the rooster hard."

At Warsaw, Ind., the President said:

"It cheers me very much to have you come out and give me such a greeting because some times when I am hard at work I long very much to get away and come out and see the folks. It gives me the deepest gratitude as if you wanted to see me and believe in me. God bless you and good luck to you."

Says Indiana Is For Wilson.

Edward J. Hoffman, of Fort Wayne, Democratic National Committeeman

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HUGHES IS ASKED WHAT HE WOULD DO

J. Frank Hanly Urges Republican Nominee to State His Position Regarding Mexico.

ADVOCATES INTERVENTION

Prohibition Candidate for President Declares He Would Take This Step Immediately After Being Inaugurated.

Sioux Falls, S. D., October 4. — Intervention in Mexico was advocated in an address here tonight by J. Frank Hanly, the Prohibition candidate for President. Simultaneously he urged Charles E. Hughes to announce what he would do in the Mexican situation, if elected President.

"I believe intervention by the government of the United States is inevitable and if I were elected President and conditions were as they now are," Hanly said, "and our present anomalous relation to Mexican affairs were still existent, I would intervene promptly and decisively immediately upon my inauguration and assumption of authority and pause not until stable or orderly government was established there and the good name and self-respect of the United States restored.

"I would intervene as we intervened in Cuba, and as we have intervened in Haiti and Santo Domingo.

"'Watchful waiting,' under Charles E. Hughes," Hanly declared, in urging that Hughes answer him, "would be no better than 'watchful waiting' under Woodrow Wilson."

TAFT OPENS REPUBLICAN CAMPAIGN IN NEW JERSEY

Trenton, N. J., October 4. — Former President Taft, in an address formally opening the Republican State campaign here today, assailed the policies of the Wilson administration and the attitude of the President in the settlement of the threatened nation-wide railroad strike.

Mr. Taft likened the present campaign to that of 1896. He charged that the Democrats "are seeking the vote of the people by putting forth disingenuous, unsound but alluring reasons," for supporting the Wilson administration.

NEGRO WOMAN HANGED AND BODY RIDDLED WITH BULLETS.

Was Taken From Jail at Leary, Ga., Monday Night, Says Report.

Albany, Ga., Oct. 4.—A negro woman named Connelly, whose son is alleged to have killed E. M. Melvin, a farmer, was taken from the city jail at Leary, Calhoun county, Ga., some time Monday night and lynched, according to reports received here today. Her body, riddled with bullets, was found near Leary yesterday.

The woman was said to have been engaged in an altercation with Melvin, when it is alleged her son struck the farmer on the head with a cotton scale weight. She was arrested soon afterward.

HUGHES IN SECLUSION.

Is Disposing of an Accumulation of Correspondence.

Montclair, N. J., Oct. 4.—Charles E. Hughes went into seclusion here today not far from the house where Charles E. Hughes, Jr., and his family are spending a few days.

During the few days that Mr. Hughes will remain here, he expects to clear away the accumulation of correspondence he found awaiting him on his arrival in New York and to outline some of the chief speeches which he will make on his third presidential campaign trip, starting Monday.

MANNING PARTY BANQUETED.

South Carolinians Studying Crop Conditions in Louisiana.

Alexandria, La., Oct. 4.—The party of South Carolinians and representatives of the Department of Agriculture, headed by Governor Manning, on a tour of Louisiana to study cotton conditions, was entertained tonight at a banquet at which members of a local commercial organization were the hosts. The party during the day inspected the methods of crop rotation used in Rapides parish to combat the boll weevil. Tomorrow the party will visit livestock farms around Alexandria.

SHOT DEAD ON STREET

Dr. W. P. Knight Killed By Byron Hill, at Rutledge, Ala.

Luverne, Ala., Oct. 4.—Dr. W. P. Knight was shot and killed by Byron Hill, of Rutledge, Ala., this morning on one of the principal streets. Knight, it is claimed by Hill, insulted his wife. Hill fired five times, four shots taking effect. Hill surrendered to local authorities.

TO MEET IN WASHINGTON.

Cotton Manufacturers to Hold Convention There in 1917.

Charlotte, N. C., Oct. 4.—The executive committee of the American Cotton Manufacturers' Association in called session here today selected Washington, D. C., for the annual convention of the association to be held May 22 and 23, 1917.

NEW CABINET TO BE FORMED IN JAPAN

WASHINGTON, D. C. LIBRARY OF CONGRESS

Count Terauchi Designated by the Emperor as Premier to Succeed Count Okuma.

KNOWN AS A MILITARIST

His Selection by the Emperor May Mean a Victory For the Army Party—Little Known As to His Policies.

Tokio, Oct. 4.—The emperor has requested Lieutenant General Count Seiki Terauchi, former minister of war and also formerly resident general in Korea, to organize a cabinet, in succession to the ministry of Marquis Okuma.

The resignation of Premier Okuma brought to a head the intense struggle between the bureaucratic forces and the advocates of a representative government which culminated in the victory of the bureaucrats by the emperor's designation of Count Terauchi to form a cabinet.

Premier Okuma aided Baron Kato in his efforts to form a new ministry and thus succeeded in amalgamating the three groups composing the government's majority in the house of representatives into one great party. By this move the new amalgamation has only the Seiyukai, or conservative party, in opposition and brings about a two-party political system in Japan similar to that in the United States and Great Britain.

The movement displeased the statesmen of the old school, who feared that it would be undesirably progressive and was opposed especially by Count Terauchi, whose slogan is a no-party form of government. The section of Count Terauchi is believed to be a victory for the army party. Viscount Ichioro Motono, the ambassador in Russia, is being considered as foreign minister in the new cabinet. It is learned that Count Terauchi will ask Kato to support the new party and thus effect a compromise.

LITTLE KNOWN OF POSSIBLE POLICIES OF NEW PREMIER.

Washington, Oct. 4.—Little is known in official circles here as to what policy Lieutenant General Terauchi, Japan's new premier, will adopt. He always has been a military man, almost above party questions, but he is regarded as a follower in politics of former Premier Yamagata, under whose influence the "gentlemen's agreement" and other friendly arrangements were made with the United States.

For some time there has been considerable agitation in Japan in favor of General Terauchi's elevation to the premier's portfolio, especially by those who felt former Premier Okuma's policy was too favorable to western nations and too lenient to China.

General Terauchi's greatest achievement was the annexation of Korea.

Philadelphia, Oct. 4.—The Rev. David Tully, said to be the oldest Presbyterian minister in active service in this country, died at his home at Media, near here, today. He was 98 years old, but always refused to be put on the retired list.

SWEDEN'S NEUTRALITY HAS NOT BEEN BROKEN

Prime Minister Says Nation Has Only Defended Her Rights.

Gives Associated Press Correspondent the First Interview He Has Given Any Foreign Journalist Since the War Began.

Stockholm, via London, Oct. 4.—"Sweden proclaimed her attitude of neutrality at the very outbreak of the war. All her actions since that time have borne out that proclamation, and all rumors or accusations that she has done, or intends to do, anything inconsistent with this attitude are due either to failure to comprehend her situation or to some less creditable reason. And whenever Sweden has taken any step displeasing to one or another belligerent power her action has been dictated solely by considerations of the kingdom's own necessities and of its future welfare, and not by any partisan reasons. We hope sincerely that the belligerents will not make it impossible for us to maintain this attitude until the end."

Thus, in effect, said the prime minister of Sweden, Dr. K. H. L. Hammarskjold, to the correspondent of the Associated Press in the only interview he has granted any foreign journalist since the war began.

Throughout the interview the premier continued to lay stress on his government's desire to follow unswervingly the policy of unpartisanship thus far followed.

"And when you get to know the Swedes better, you will, I think, find that when they say or promise a thing they mean it," said the minister.

In a communication issued September 22, after the recent conference of the Scandinavian ministers at Christiana, it was said "that the govern-

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RUSSIAN ADVANCE ON LEMBERG STILL IS HELD IN CHECK

Also the Fighting in Russia, West of Lutsk, is Without Any Decisive Result.

GAINS MADE BY SERBIANS

Bucharest Claims Success in Transylvania, But is Silent Regarding Dobrudja Front.

With rain still keeping the operations of the Entente Allies and Germans on the western front in France mainly to artillery duels, interest in the world war has been transferred to the Russian, Rumanian and Macedonian fronts, on all of which heavy fighting is in progress.

The fierce battle which has been raging for several days west of Lutsk, in Volhynia, is still without decisive result for either side, while in Galicia, along the Zlota Lipa river, where the Russians are trying to push through to Lemberg, the Austro-German forces are still holding back the Russians. Berlin, in the official account of the fighting near Lutsk, says the Russian dead number thousands.

Bucharest Still Silent.

Bucharest is still silent in regard to the operations of Rumania's troops, which crossed the Danube river between Rustchuk and Turtukai and invaded Bulgarian territory, but Berlin says those men have been hastily withdrawn in the fear of being encircled by the forces of Field Marshal Von Mackensen.

Fresh gains by the Rumanians against the center and left wing of the Teutonic allies operating to the north in Dobrudja are chronicled by Bucharest. At Amzacea, a position of the Teutons was captured and with it more than 1,000 men and seven guns and much war material.

Much Fighting in Transylvania.

In Transylvania from Orsova, on the Danube, near the Hungarian-Rumanian frontier, to the Bukowina border, numerous engagements have been fought. Bucharest claims successes for the Rumanian armies in the region of Odorkim, between Fogaras and Sigshecara, and in the mountains west of the river Alt.

It is admitted that the Rumanian troops were withdrawn from the Jiul valley, but before falling back they destroyed the coal mines at Petrozny.

Serbs Force Teutons Back.

The Berlin war office admits the retirement of the Teutonic allies before the Serbians to prepared positions near Lake Presba, on the western end of the Macedonian front, and also at Nize Hill, north of Kaimakcala height, on the Serbo-Greek frontier, and that the British are maintaining themselves in positions they have captured along the struma river, north of Lake Tahinos. In this latter region the British have added to their front the town of Jenikoi.

An unofficial dispatch from Paris

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MUST SOLVE MEXICAN INTERNAL QUESTIONS

So That Constant Diplomatic Exchanges Will be Avoided.

Until This is Done, American Commissioners Take the Stand That No Satisfactory Agreement Can be Reached.

Atlantic City, N. J., October 4. — Satisfactory solution of internal questions having an international bearing must be an integral part of the general programme for the rehabilitation of Mexico, the Mexican members of the joint commission were informed today by their American colleagues.

During discussion of the banking situation, taxation and other subjects, which the Mexicans insisted were internal matters, the American commissioners took the stand that no satisfactory settlement of the border porblem can be reached until there is evidence of the intention of th Mxican government to so handle such affairs that there will be no occasion for constant diplomatic correspondence with other governments.

The matters especially referred to by the American commissioners were those affecting the status and rights of foreigners resident in Mexico and of foreigners who have invested capital in Mexican enterprises.

It was learned today that Luis Cabrera head of the Mexican commission, is dealing with the committee representing a large group of mining concerns in Mexico in his capacity as minister of finance rather than as one of the commissioners.

He expects to meet the mining men's representatives Saturday in New York for a conference.

RUMANIANS BURNED ENTIRE VILLAGES

Pretty Girls Driven Into Trenches, Then Assaulted and Murdered, Says Report.

MANY PEOPLE CARRIED OFF

Women and Children in Dobrudja Locked in Houses and Burned, Says Report of German Newspaper Correspondent.

Berlin, Oct. 4. (via Sayville)—Further details of alleged Rumanian atrocities in Dobrudja, says the Overseas News Agency, are contained in a report from the Sofia correspondent of the Frankfurter Zeitung, who, with several other correspondents and William Warfield, the American 'charge d'affaires at Sofia, investigated reports in Dobric (Bazardjik), Silistria, and surrounding towns and villages. The correspondent writes:

"Everywhere we followed traces of assassination and incendiarism and everywhere there was the same complaint about the loss of life and property. Entire villages were destroyed by fire and large quantities of corn, as well as people of all classes, were carried away, partly by violence, and partly by false promises. The prettiest girls were driven into the Rumanian trenches, where they were assaulted and then murdered, especially in the neighborhood of Silistria. Women and children were locked up in houses and then either burned to death or shot. It has been proved that the Rumanians ravaged the country in an indescribable fashion on the direct command of their superiors.

"Before the declaration of war 25,000 people and the same number of carts filled with food were taken from Dobrudja. In a village north of Dobric, Rumanians assassinated 38 Bulgarians and 30 Turks and carried off 64 other men. A village south of Dobric is a heap of ruins and only 20 of 130 houses remain undamaged.

"Conditions Also were bad around Silistria, where the villages of Kalipretovo, Aidemi, Sreberna and Babuk were destroyed. The number of civilians killed, wounded and transported from Dobrudja is estimated at about 60,000."

OFFICIAL COTTON STANDARDS.

Practical Forms to be Placed With County Government Agents.

Washington, Oct. 4.—To bring about more extensive use of the official cotton standards by growers in their sales, the Department of Agriculture is placing with county agents in cotton producing sections sets of practical forms of the standards. It is believed the presence of the standards in each county, where farmers may examine and become familiar with them, will be a valuable educative force in grading and will tend to bring about the substitution of methods of more exact classification in place of the approximations to grades now often employed in gin, street and warehouse sales.

TO BE GIVEN CHANCE TO TRAIN REGULARLY

Permanent Instruction Planned for Civilian Sailors.

Will be Given Opportunity to Report on Board the Reserve Ships at the Several Navy Yards Each Week.

Washington, October 4. — Steps are being taken to place the civilians who participated in the recent John Paul Jones cruise of the navy, on a permanent basis for instruction. The Navy Department announced today that they would be given an opportunity to report on board any of the reserve battleships at the various navy yards once a week throughout the year and attend drill and practice instruction.

The suggestion that a permanent office be established in Washington to handle the volunteer civilian preparedness movement is being considered by the department and probably will be adopted. Officials believe that with the start already made it will be comparatively easy to enroll at least 10,000 men for next summer's cruise. The civilians who took the training this summer contemplate forming a national organization through which to enroll their full complement as a reserve under the new naval bill.

"These matters are at present under consideration," says a statement issued by the Navy Department today "and if the details can be arranged the movement will start in concrete form and on a large scale, either this winter or early spring. When this shall have been accomplished a long step will have been taken both toward the securing of 100,000 volunteer reserves and in educating the public in thorough preparedness and an adequate navy.

"The plans contemplate extension of this training to the Pacific coast and the Great Lakes, so that every section of the country may participate."

BIG DEMAND FOR CARS CAUSES SHORTAGE ON ATLANTIC COAST LINE

President J. R. Kenly Says the System is Short 8,000 Cars on Basis of Ownership.

ARE ON FOREIGN LINES

Great Demand on Account of the Volume of Business Due to Heavy Crop Movement.

FUTURE PROSPECTS BRIGHT

Comparison of Income for Last Four Years.

That the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad throughout its entire system is facing a serious situation on account of a great shortage in freight cars, was the statement made yesterday afternoon by President John R. Kenly, in an interview with a representative of The Star. Sixteen thousand of the cars owned by the system are now on foreign lines, and efforts to get them back have proved unsuccessful.

There are only 8,000 foreign cars on the system, so on the basis of ownership the road is 8,000 short. To supply immediate orders, the system needs approximately 1,500 cars. The great demand for cars reflects in some degree the generally improved business conditions, and a prospect for even brighter future conditions.

Business Is Good.

Asked to state just how the improved business conditions throughout the country were being reflected in the six States tapped by the Coast Line system, President Kenly said:

"Business just at this time is very good, due largely in the South to the high price of cotton. Practically all the railways of the country are finding difficulty in securing sufficient cars to handle the great volume of business due to the crop movement, the handling of fall merchandise ordered by merchants and an increase in the amount of lumber being shipped. On account of the high price paid for cotton, it is moving freely to most of the ports on our system.

"The worst feature of the outlook on the Coast Line is the scarcity of cars. The car situation has not shown any improvement within the past few weeks and is becoming more acute all the time.

"We have in round figures approximately 30,000 cars on the system, practically half of which are off the road, and in spite of every effort we have thus far been unable to get them back. To be more exact in figures, we have about 16,000 of our cars off the line and only about 8,000 foreign cars on the line. We are, therefore, about 8,000 cars short on the basis of ownership.

"While these figures do not represent the actual shortage, there are something like 1,500 cars that are needed to fill immediate orders. The shortage is due principally to the fact that foreign lines in the East, particularly, have not returned our equipment.

"Our superintendents and trainmasters, due to the shortage over the entire system, are out everywhere giving the closest attention to the car supply problem, that is, they are seeing that cars are unloaded and moved as fast as possible so as to get the best use out of our available equipment.

"We have now under contract about 500 box and flat cars, which we should have received in August. Their construction is being delayed on account of the difficulty of car builders getting the materials, particularly the steel parts.

Prospects Bright.

"The outlook for through passenger business to Florida and other points in the South is bright. I believe there will be a large tourist business from the North, East and West to Florida and Cuba this winter. The local passenger business, however, is still very much off. It has never recovered from the first year of the war.

"As to the volume of freight we expect to move this fall and winter, I would not go so far as to say that a record movement is foreshadowed. Just how great it will be it is difficult to guage in advance. From the present outlook, however, we hope to have a satisfactory business during the fall and winter."

In discussing the freight situation, President Kenly handed the reporter a circular he had just received from the Chamber of Commerce calling attention among other things to the many attractions of the City of Wilmington in which the "cheap freight rates" were especially mentioned. Smilingly, he added he was much gratified by the statement as to the transportation rates, and quite agreed that it was correct, although he was used to hearing statements to the contrary.

Comparison of Income.

The net operating income of the At-

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W. C. T. U. HEARS DR. ANNA GORDON

National President Speaks to the North Carolina State Union in Wilmington.

MADE ELOQUENT APPEAL

Battles in Different States With Liquor Interests Vividly Described—Convention Closes Tonight. Programme.

The address of Dr. Anna A. Gordon, of Evanston, Ill., president of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union, was the principal feature of last night's session of the annual convention of the North Carolina Union at the First Baptist church in Wilmington. Approximately 75 delegates and members were in attendance, together with a considerable number of visitors. The Presbyterian choir furnished the musical programme for the evening.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. T. Adelaide Goodno, of Raleigh, president of the North Carolina W. C. T. U., and Rev. W. V. McRae, pastor of Trinity Methodist church, read the scripture lesson, and led in the invocation. Mrs. Goodno then introduced Dr. Gordon, who was the speaker of the evening.

Conditions in Chicago.

Dr. Gordon said that while she had visited Wilmington at different times in the past this was the first opportunity she had had of being in North Carolina since the liquor evil was vanquished in the battle of ballots in 1908. Chicago, said the speaker, is a city of 7,152 saloons with their attendant evils. Evanston, her home city is free from the saloons by reason of a state law which prohibits the sale of intoxicants within a three-mile radius of a college.

These saloons, the speaker continued, paid annually to the city of Chicago a license fee of $1,000 each, approximating a total sum of $7,000,000. The cost, however, of meeting the expenses resulting from the liquor traffic in the city, amounted to nearly $70,000,000.

Miss Gordon told graphically of the campaign waged in the Middle Western states by Frances E. Willard, the founder of the W. C. T. U., against the liquor interests. She entered the worst resorts of this kind in different sections, and in the very heart of the saloon, with all of its attending carousals and brawls, sang such soul-stirring songs as "Rock of Ages."

Russia Was Benefitted.

Russia, declared Dr. Gordon, in spite of the fact that she was engaged in the most tremendous war of her history, when every cent of revenue that she could obtain was sorely needed, had entered the prohibition column of the world by banishing vodka from her limits. This, continued the speaker, did not break down Russia's finances but on the contrary, strengthened them considerably.

In the National headquarters of the W. C. T. U., said the speaker, the officials were constantly reading the papers and magazines, issued by the publicity bureaus of the liquor interests. An editorial in one of these magazines read: "If things would remain as they are, the outlook for our business would be prosperous, but things will not remain as they are.'" The latter clause, said Miss Gordon, was one of the watch words of the W. C. T. U.

Seven States to Vote.

The coming election on November 7, will see a great battle between prohibition and liquor, continued the president. In seven states, Missouri, Michigan, South Dakota, California, Idaho, Kansas and Nebraska, the liquor question will be one of the vital issues of the election. Both sides are hopeful of the outcome, the whiskey men are using their astute lawyers, and money powers to further their claims, while the prohibition forces, backed as they are by the great corporations, newspapers, public officials and leading citizens, are leaving no stone unturned that will insure their success, it was pointed out.

It is a significant fact, declared Dr. Gordon, that many of the newspapers and magazines are at a loss to themselves, refraining from publishing advertisements of whiskey dealers. Several states, continued the speaker, had passed laws prohibiting the sale of papers or magazines containing liquor advertisements within their borders. Dr. Gordon said she had noticed in Alabama, one of the states where such a law has been enacted, copies of magazines with the liquor advertisements clipped from them, offered for sale.

At the conclusion of Dr. Gordon's address, Mrs. Goodno called for pledges from the different unions represented in the convention, and a number, including Wilmington, Asheville, Charlotte, Greensboro, Guilford College, Raleigh, Elizabeth City and others responded. An offering was then taken.

Reports Are Made.

The morning session of the convention yesterday was devoted principally to the appointment of committees, and other routine business, including the report of the recording secretary, and a discussion of by-laws. The following were appointed to the various committees: On credentials, Mrs. William Boettscher, Mrs. D. R. Stevens;

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Baseball
Boating
Yachting
Angling

SPORTS

Motoring
Aeronautics
Tennis
Golf, Etc.

GIANTS EASILY TAKE GAME FROM BROOKLYN

Manager McGraw Failed to Appear on the Grounds.

Phillies, By Winning From the Braves, Clinch Second Place in the National League—One More Day of Season.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At Brooklyn, 3; New York, 7.
At Philadelphia, 7; Boston, 5.
No others—season closed.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
New York at Brooklyn.
Boston at Philadelphia.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Brooklyn	93	60	.608
Philadelphia	92	61	.601
Boston	88	63	.583
New York	86	65	.570
Chicago	67	85	.441
Pittsburg	65	88	.426
St. Louis	60	93	.393
Cincinnati	60	93	.393

Brooklyn, Oct. 4.—With Manager Carrigan and several of his lieutenants here to look over the National League champions today Robinson used many of his second string men and rookies with the result that the Giants ran away with a 7 to 3 victory. Cheney pitched three erratic innings and Cadore, a recruit, was pounded hard. Sallee, for New York, was effective. McGraw did not appear at the grounds.

New York	000 100 103	4	2
Brooklyn	002 010 000	3	7	2

Sallee and McCarty; Cheney, Cadore and M. Wheat, O. Miller, Dede.

Philadelphia, Oct. 4.—Philadelphia clinched second place in the National League race by defeating Boston today 7 to 5. The home team won after Demaree had been driven off the rubber in the fifth inning by hitting the deliveries of Allen and Barnes hard in the sixth. When Boston threatened to score in the sixth inning Alexander went to the rescue.

Boston	000 140 000	5	9	1
Philadelphia	200 013 01*	8	11	0

Allen, Barnes and Blackburn; Demaree, Kantlehner, Oeshger, Alexander and Burns, Adams.

WORLD'S RECORD AND TWO SEASON RECORDS BROKEN.

Lexington, Ky., Oct. 4.—One world's record and two season records were broken at the third day of the Kentucky Horse Breeders' Association meeting here today.

The world's record was broken when Lee Axworthy, 2:00, in an effort to break the track record of 2:04 for trotting stallions, made by Peter Volo last year, lowered his own world's record to 1:59 1-2.

Lucile Spier, the world's champion mare on a half mile track, went to beat 2:05 and trotted the mile in 2:02 1-4, which is the season's mark for trotting mares, and Roan Hal, in winning the Board of Commerce stake for 2:00 pacers, went the second mile in 2:00 3-4, which is also the season's mark for pacing geldings.

REMARKS OF M'GRAW ARE TO BE IGNORED

National Baseball Commission will Take No Action.

President Tener Says the Giants' Manager Was Undoubtedly Wrought Up Because His Team Could Not Keep Winning.

New York, Oct. 4.—The National Commission will take no action on the statement by Manager John McGraw, of the New York Giants, that his team played listless ball in the game yesterday when Brooklyn easily defeated the Giants and captured the National League championship. President John K. Tener, of the National League, said today that the commission would not take any cognizance of McGraw's remarks.

"McGraw was undoubtedly wrought up over the fact that his team could not keep on winning," said President Tener. "The Giants were suffering from the reaction of their long winning streak. I don't doubt that McGraw said harsh things, but every friend of baseball will realize the fiery temper of the man who said them."

Art Fletcher, the shortstop, and "Poll" Perritt asserted that the New York team played the best they knew how.

Captain Jake Daubert, of the Brooklyns, says that Fletcher told him before the game that while he might like to see him win, the Giants were out to win the game if possible. Manager Robinson, of the Brooklyns, an old friend of McGraw, said he could not understand what could have prompted McGraw's remarks unless he was angry over the fact that the Brooklyns were showing the Giants up.

In commenting on McGraw's remarks, President Ban Johnson, of the American League, characterized them as "outrageous" and said if this situation had arisen in the American League he would have dealt with it anything but a leniant manner. When asked if the National Commission would take up the matter, Johnson said that it was up to the National League to handle it.

"If they are not big enough to handle it, they should go out of business," he said.

Garry Herrmann, a member of the commission, was reticent regarding the affair. "This is the first I had heard of the incident," he said. "I thought it was a joke. Now I believe it was a fool act."

WHITE SOX WIN FIRST IN CHICAGO CITY LEAGUE SERIES

Chicago, Oct. 4.—The American League team won the first game of the series for the championship of Chicago today by defeating their National League rivals, 8 to 2.

Nationals	000 002 000	2	10	2
Americans	001 000 5 *	9	9	0

Vaughn, Hendrix and Wilson; Russell and Schalk.

If you want peace and prosperity, help Wilson win with a contribution to the campaign fund.

YANKEES CAPTURE TWO GAMES FROM SENATORS

New York Gets Fourth Place in the American League.

Washington, By Losing the Double Header Yesterday, Was Dropped in Seventh Place, A Half Game Behind Cleveland.

RESULTS YESTERDAY
At New York, 4-7; Washington, 3-1.
No others—season closed.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY
Washington at New York.

STANDING OF THE CLUBS

	W.	L.	Pct.
Boston	91	63	.591
Chicago	89	65	.578
Detroit	87	67	.565
New York	80	74	.520
St. Louis	79	75	.513
Cleveland	78	76	.507
Washington	76	77	.497
Philadelphia	33	117	.237

New York, Oct. 4.—New York won fourth place in the 1916 American League race by taking both games of today's double header with the Washington club. The scores were four to three and five to one. The double defeat dropped Washington into seventh place ,a half game behind Cleveland, while New York moved up a half game ahead of St. Louis. Bunched hitting in teh third inning gave the home team victory in the final game. The first contest was decided by Pipp's home run in the eighth inning with Peckinpaugh on first base. Rice hit a home run in the ninth inning. Pipp's home run was his twelfth of the season and he win's the honors of the league in this specialty.

Washington	000 101 001	3	6	0
New York	000 110 02*	4	7	1

Shaw and Henry, Ainsmith; Russell and Walters.

Second game:

Washington	001 000 000	1	4	1
New York	003 010 10*	5	7	1

Ayers, Jamison and Ainsmith; Shocker and Alexander.

DRAFTS OF PLAYERS AS REVISED AND COMPLETED.

Auburn, N. Y., Oct. 4.—John H. Farrell, secretary of the National Association of Professional Baseball Leagues, tonight announced the revised and complete list of major league drafts, together with those of the American and Southern Associations. Included in the list are:

National League—By St. Louis, Gordonier, from Newport News.

American League—By Chicago, Henry, from Petersburg.

American Association—By Indianapolis, Duncan, from Raleigh.

Southern Association—By Mobile, Hagan, from Raleigh; by Birmingham, Burt, from Asheville.

FALL BIBLE STUDY RALLY FOR BOYS' DIVISION.

Presentation of Certificates and Cups at Y. M. C. A. Tonight.

The third annual Bible Study rally of the Boys' Division of the Y. M. C. A. will be held at 6:30 tonight. Forty-three certificates, won during the year just closed, will be delivered and the silver loving cups donated by Messrs. W. B. Cooper and L. B. Schuster will be presented to the Lee and Princeton clubs.

Mr. Odis B. Hinnant, secretary of the Boys' Work Division will make an address. The Cooper Cup will be presented to the Lee club by Mr. Richard Thigpen, and received by Harry Penton. Mr. Aubrey Morse will present the Schuster cup to the Princeton club, and Lenox Cooper will receive it.

Following is a list of the boys who won Bible Study certificates during the yast year:

Alfred Hall, Wm. Milton, James Nash, Octave Barnes, E. P. Cardwell, Neill McEachern, Carl Mahler, Owen Martin, Howard Penton, Douglas Sprunt, Robert Williams, Charles Cavenaugh, Wm. Ek, Howard Green, Wm. Mahler, Neill Trask, Harry Tucker, John Branch, H. Dobson, Herbert Williams, C. W. Johnson, Robert James, Lee Clarke, Carl Fuchs, Winton Green, Clark Huggins, Frederick Hull, George F. Jones, Cofield King, Aubrey Kelly, Edward Koonce, Andrew Mahler, Frank McGlaughon, Dan Penson, Guy Pigford, Lawrence Schuster, William Smith, Robert Tate, Victor Zoeller, B. H. Houston, Jr., Kay B. Knudsen, T. Aubrey Morse.

COAST LINE ADVANCES

Baltimore Interested in the Stock and Speaks of the Outlook.

The following from yesterday's financial column of the Baltimore Sun will be read with local interest:

"Railroad issues became firm near the close of the New York stock market yesterday, and not a few notable gains were recorded. Chief among these was the Atlantic Coast Line, in which Baltimore has a strong interest. This advanced to 120 1-2, the highest point touched for a long time after the shares had been almost neglected in the bull market. There was some gossip that the company may increase its dividend, though nothing official was announced to warrant the expectation. The more conservative say that the company is not likely to increase its dividend pending the application and the results of the Eight-hour law, which soon goes into effect. The recent statements of the company show that it is making steady progress in earnings, as are most of the lines operated in the South and in every section of the country. The Coast Line is closely allied with the Louisville and Nashville and as this company recently increased its dividend, many thought the Coast Line might do the same."

If you believe in Wilson, show your appreciation by subscribing to the Wilson campaign fund.

Statistics Regarding Brooklyn Players

New York, Oct. 4.—Statistics of the Brooklyn National League Club, which will oppose the Boston Americans in the world's series beginning on Saturday, show that the average age of the Brooklyn players is 27 1-2 years while that of the Boston combination is 27 1-2 years. Although the Boston team has the advantage of experience the Brooklyn squad is heavier and taller. The average weight of the Brooklyn players is 178 pounds and the height an even six feet.

Fifteen of the National League representatives bat and throw right handed and five bat and throw left handed. Coombs, a right handed pitcher, bats either way. Pitcher Rucker bats right handed and throws left handed, and Zack Wheat performs in the opposite manner.

Of the pitching staff Pfeffer, Coombs, Cheney, Dell and Appleton have a right hand delivery while the other four, Rucker, Marquard, Mails and Smith are southpaws.

The following is a complete list of the physical and playing statistics of the Brooklyn players eligible to take part in the world's series against the Boston Americans:

Player	Position	Age	Weight	Height	Bats	Throws	Home
Ed Appleton, P		24	175	6	rh	rh	Arlington, Tex.
Geo. Cutshaw, 2b		29	160	5.9	rh	rh	Brooklyn, N. Y.
Jack Coombs, P		32	185	6	l-rh	rh	W. Kennebunk, Me.
Larry Cheney, P		28	185	6.1	rh	rh	Haines City, Fla.
Jake Daubert, 1b		30	160	5.10 1-2	lh	lh	Brooklyn, N. Y.
W. G. Dell, P		28	185	6.4	rh	rh	Brooklyn, N. Y.
Gus Getz, 3b		26	180	5.10 1-2	rh	rh	Newark, N. J.
J. H. Johnston, cf		26	165	5.9	rh	rh	Chattanooga, Tenn.
H. H. Myers, cf		26	175	5.9 1-2	rh	rh	East Liverpool, O.
H. H. Mowrey, 3b		33	180	5.8	rh	rh	Chambersburg, Pa.
J. T. Meyers, c		34	200	5.11 1-4	rh	rh	San Diego, Cal.
Otto Miller, c		26	182	6	rh	rh	Indianapolis, Ind.
J. W. Mails, P		20	170	6	lh	lh	San Quentin, Cal.
Fred Merkle, utl.		28	190	6.1	rh	rh	Watertown, Wis.
Rube Marquard, P		26	190	6.1 1-2	lh	lh	New York, N. Y.
Oliver O'Mara, ss		23	148	5.9	rh	rh	St. Louis, Mo.
Ivan Olson, ss		30	190	5.11 1-2	rh	rh	Los Angeles, Cal.
E. G. Pfeffer, P		26	208	6.2 1-2	rh	rh	Champagne, Ill.
W. Robinson, Mgr.		52	...	5.8 1-2	rh	rh	Baltimore, Md.
Nap Rucker, P		31	195	6	rh	lh	Roswell, Ga.
C. D. Stengel, rf		25	170	5.8 1-2	lh	lh	Kansas City, Mo.
Sherrod Smith, P		24	190	6.1	lh	lh	Mansfield, Ga.
Zach Wheat, lf		27	165	6	lh	rh	Polo, Mo.

CARRIGAN IS KEEPING HIS MEN 'WARMED UP'

Puts Them Through Light Work Out on Braves' Field.

Record-Breaking Number of Newspaper Writers Expected to Attend Series—Distribution of Tickets Begins.

Boston, Mass., Oct. 4.—Manager Carrigan, of the Boston American League baseball team, put his men through a light work-out this afternoon on Braves Field, the home of the Boston National Club, where the world series games in this city are to be played. The squad was divided into two teams and ten innings were played. No attempt was made to keep score. All the regular pitchers were sent in to work for an inning or two and batters were given plenty of opportunity to hit the ball in order to accustom the fielders to judging fly balls in the sunlit spaces and the shadows of the park.

Captain Barry was second baseman of one of the teams, but his injured hand is still weak and it is not believed that he will figure in the world's series. Janvrin, who has been at second in Barry's absence, is expected to play the position.

Tomorrow a team of Red Sox players will go to Worcester, where they will have a benefit game with the Philadelphia American League team. The proceeds will be turned over to the memorial fund for John H. Gaffney, a former National League umpire. Captain Barry will have charge of this team, which will be composed largely of substitutes. Manager Carrigan will give the regular team another light work-out tomorrow afternoon.

From the number of applications already received the world's series promises, it is said, to break all existing records as far as newspaper attendance is concerned.

The Braves' Field press box, which is the largest in the country, will probably seat the greatest assembly of baseball writers that has ever witnessed a game.

Distribution of reserved seat tickets began today. Each of the 27,000 seats available for reservation was covered by applications, officials of the local club said.

Almost immediately upon receipt by mail this morning of the notices of allotments, successful applicants appeared at the club box offices at Fenway Park. Ticket distribution prior to the date of the opening game will be made from there, although the games will be played at Braves' Field, the grounds of the local National League club. Sale of admission seats at $1.00 and at 50 cents will be made from offices on the side of the grounds opposite the grandstand entrances, thus obviating the crush which kept many holders of reserved seats from the games last year. These new gates will be opened at 9 o'clock on the morning of the games, purchasers of tickets must move into the grounds at once and the gates will be closed as soon as the 15,000 rush seats are filled, according to the plans.

Assurances that the Red Sox will be cheered on the foreign field by organized local supporters as the local world series contenders have been for years, was given today by John M. Killeen, leader of the Royal Rooters. He reported that President Ebbets, of the Brooklyn Club, had promised an adequate supply of tickets for the Boston party, which will follow the fortunes of the team throughout the series. First indications of the betting odds on the series were available today, with Brooklyn definitely placed as the National League pennant winner. Wagers were offered here at odds of 10 to 7 on Boston. As yet it was said no Brooklyn money had appeared.

REGISTRATION BOOKS OPEN.

All Polling Places Will be Kept Open for 21 Days.

The registration books will be opened this morning for the registration of voters at all polling places throughout the county. The polling places will be kept open from 9 A. M. until sunset for the next 21 days exclusive of Sundays.

The attention of voters is called to the fact that it is their duty to see that their names are on the registration books. The County Executive committee is very anxious that all voters shall register as early as possible.

The Wilson Campaign Fund committee is hard at work and reports that fine progress is being made in obtaining subscriptions.

If you want peace and prosperity, help Wilson win with a contribution to the campaign fund.

J. P. MORGAN SAILS ON TRIP TO EUROPE

J. P. Morgan sailed for London Friday on board the American liner New York. Although members of the firm deny that Mr. Morgan's going abroad at this time has anything to do with any specific loan which might be floated just now, Wall Street believes the financier's trip was made with the idea of negotiating another British secured loan in this country.

The Smoke of the U. S. A.

That snappy, spirited taste of "Bull" Durham in a cigarette gives you the quick-stepping, head-up-and-chest-out feeling of the live, virile Man in Khaki. *He* smokes "Bull" Durham for the sparkle that's in it and the crisp, youthful vigor he gets out of it.

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"Roll your own" with "Bull" Durham and you have a distinctive, satisfying smoke that can't be equaled by any other tobacco in the world.

In its perfect mildness, its smooth, mellow-sweetness and its aromatic fragrance, "Bull" Durham is unique. For the last word in wholesome, healthful smoking enjoyment "roll your own" with "Bull" Durham.

DAN CALLIHAN HELD ON EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE

Justice Bornemann Binds Defendant Over to Superior Court.

Arraigned before Justice G. W. Bornemann yesterday afternoon on an embezzlement charge, Dan Callihan, white, was held under $50 cash bond for the next criminal term of Superior court, following a hearing on the charge preferred against him.

In a warrant sworn out before Justice McGowan the defendant was charged with having embezzled on the 17th of January, 1916, the sum of $40 in cash and checks, the property of Mr. W. B. Klander, a local tinner. L. Clayton Grant, Esq., appeared for the defendant, while J. C. King, Esq., represented the prosecution. After the issuance of the warrant the case was transferred to Justice George Harriss, and later turned over to Justice Bornemann for trial.

Mr. Klander testified that on January 17th, 1916, a lady had paid him $60; that later in the day he, in company with Callahan and one or two others, were drinking, so Callihan said, "Let me keep this money," you might lose it." The witness added, "I gave him about $40 in cash and the balance in checks." Another witness for the prosecution testified, "I saw Klander give Callihan the money." Mr. Albert Solomon, the third witness, swore he had cashed a check for Callihan for $2.50 on the date mentioned and had sold him a suit of clothes for which the defendant paid about $15.

George Barr, a witness for the defense, testified that he had seen Klander give Callihan the money and that later he had seen the defendant go into the Shrier & Solomon store. From there, the witness said, they went to Brooklyn.

The defendant did not deny receiving the money, but stated to the court that he had gone over to Brooklyn, where he had been beaten and robbed. He added that he had promised Mr. Klander to work out the amount of money at his place of business, but had never done so.

MR. WRIGHT BUYS HOME

Attorney, Who Recently Moved to Wilmington, Purchases Residence Here.

I. C. Wright, Esq., who recently moved to Wilmington from Clinton to become associated with Graham Kenan, Esq., in the practice of law, has purchased the handsome residence at No. 1907 Chestnut street, Carolina Heights, formerly owned by Mr. F. A. Fetter, from the Atlantic Bank and Trust Company and has already moved into the house. The sale of the property was made through the agency of James & James, Inc., and it is understood that the consideration was between $7,000 and $8,000. The building is two stories in height and is one of the prettiest in that section of the city.

The deed for the sale of this property was filed for record. Other real estate transfers yesterday were:

Miss May Walsh to the Tidewater Power Company, for $10 and other considerations, lot at Audubon.

J. Newton Russ and wife to Theodore Fisher, for $100 and other considerations, lot in Masonboro township.

Robert L. Fox and wife to Mrs. Florence O. Gay, for $150 and other considerations, lot in Harnett township.

Joseph W. Little, commissioner, to R. D. Christman, for $45, lot at Villa View.

Southeastern Realty Company to Eleanor Gilchrist Wright, for $1,000 and other considerations, lot on the east side of 15th, 110 feet south of Princess street.

W. M. Hayes and wife to Clarence H. Hayes, for $100 and other considerations, lot on the west side of Eighth street, 110 feet north of Orange, 33 by 66 feet in size.

BROWNS DEFEAT CARDINALS FIRST OF THE CITY SERIES

St. Louis, Mo., Oct. 4.—The St. Louis Americans defeated the St. Louis Nationals in the first game of the fall series here today 5 to 3.

Americans	100 031 000	5	9	1
Nationals	000 000 210	3	5	2

Davenport and Hartley; Steele, Watson, Williams and Snyder.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

REGISTRATION NOTICE.

Section 4323, Revisal of 1905, Vols. 1 and 2, as amended by Public Laws of 1907-1915, provides that the Registration Books in New Hanover County be opened for the General Election of November 7th, 1916, on Thursday, October 5th, between the hours of nine o'clock A. M., and sunset and on each day (Sunday excepted) for twenty (20) days., to and including October 28th, 1916.

On each Saturday during the period of registration the registrar will attend with his registration books at the polling place of his precinct, or ward, for the registration of voters.

C. W. WOODWARD,
Chairman, Board of Elections.

ORIENT LODGE, NO. 395, A. F. & A. M.

Stated communication this (Thursday) evening at 8 o'clock. Several matters of special importance are to be considered, hence a full and prompt attendance is urged.

A cordial invitation is extended to visiting brethren to meet with us.

By order of the W. M.
C. C. BROWN,
Secretary.

The Weather Today:
Fair - Cooler

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The Quality and Service House.

Kee Lock Eye. Glasses
WILL NOT WIGGLE, SHAKE OR GET LOOSE.
Let us Show You the NEWEST INVENTION IN THE OPTICAL TRADE.
Spectacles or Eye Glasses Correctly Fitted to Your Eyes
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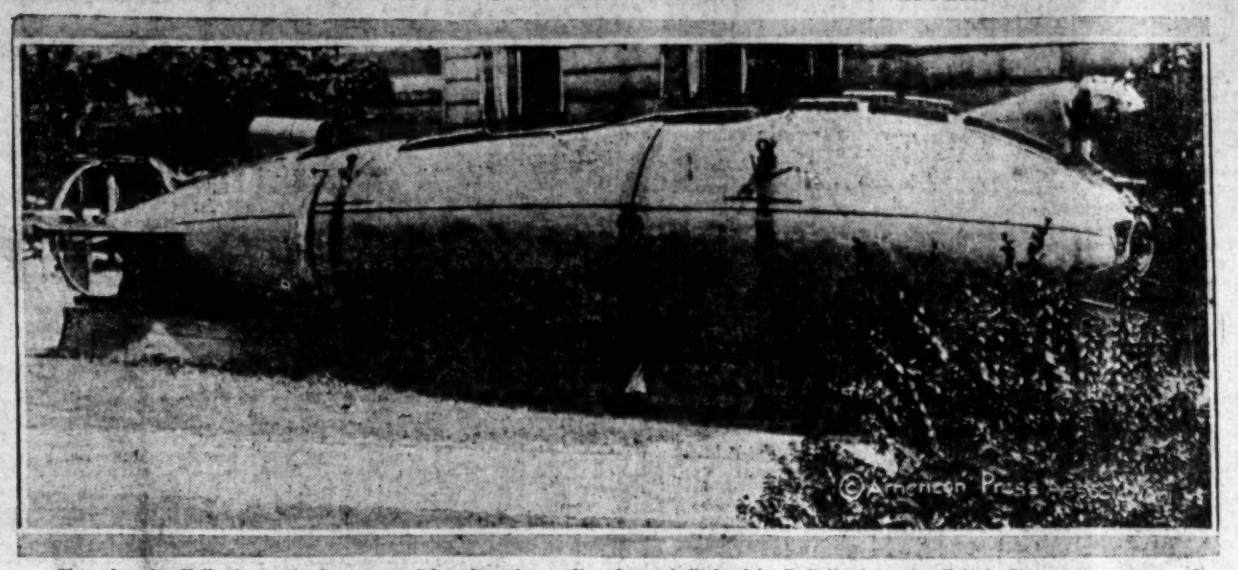
EYES TESTED FREE
Dr. Vineberg
Masonic Temple.

LARRY GARDNER, OF THE RED SOX

He is third baseman for the Boston Americans and the leading batsman of the team. He was one of the main factors in the fight for the American League pennant and is also expected to cut quite a figure in the World's Championship series.

The Mother of Submarines Donated to Museum



The submarine Holland was the first successful underwater craft and was built by John P. Holland for the United States government. It was recently purchased by Peter J. Gibbons and has been donated to the Museum of Peaceful Arts, New York City.

GREAT CROWDS GREET MR. WILSON ON TRIP TO THE MIDDLE WEST

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from Indiana, rode for a while with the President and later gave out an informal statement in which he claimed that Indiana would cast its electoral vote for Wilson.

"The President has a large personal following among Indiana Republicans," Mr. Hoffman said. The independent vote is for him solidly, and he is assured of 35 per cent of the Progressive vote. Our citizens do not believe in swapping horses in the middle of the stream."

The President will arrive at Omaha at about 11:40 o'clock tomorrow morning. He will make at least two speeches, one at a luncheon and the other in the evening at a non-partisan meeting. He also will review an historical pageant and parade. He will leave tomorrow night for Long Branch, N. J., where he will arrive Saturday morning.

SWEDEN'S NEUTRALITY HAS NOT BEEN BROKEN

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ments of the three countries consider that under the actual circumstances there could be no question for them either alone or in common with other national governments of taking the initiative in any mediation between the belligerent powers."

Premier Hammarskojold explained why this attitude had been taken. He said:

"Suppose that we should, as things and feelings now are, offer our services as mediator, what would be the result? It would mean that we would have compromised the Central Powers, for their enemies would say then that Germany had solicited our intervention and that that empire's position must be precarious, and that we should have irritated and angered the Entente Powers, who would say we were interfering to protect their enemies."

The premier referred to certain measures of the belligerent powers mentioned in the official communication issud on September 22 after the conference of the Scandinavian ministers at Christiana, particularly the destruction of neutral prizes at sea, interference with neutral shipping and the "black list." Sweden finds itself in harmony with America in its protest against this measure.

"The blacklist is objectionable," said the premier, "not only because of its present operation but because it will affect the future of the victims. We feel that it constitutes an unjust attempt to deprive certain of our citizens of their rights, and we do not like to see any Swedish subjetc lose any of his rights as a citizen until by judgment of the courts. We are glad to know that the United States has taken steps in this matter."

ENDEAVORERS MEET.

Northeastern District Union Convention to be Held at Tarboro.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Oct. 4.—The first convention of the northeastern district of the North Carolina Christian Endeavor Union will be held at Tarboro Saturday and Sunday next. Sessions will be conducted in Howard Memorial Presbyterian church. The convention theme will be "Preparedness for Service"; the convention text, "And who then is willing to consecrate his service this day unto the Lord?" (1 Chron. 29:5), and the convention song, "It Pays to Serve Jesus." The opening session will be at 3 P. M. Saturday, and the final one at 8 P. M. Sunday. Addresses are to be made by George Howard, Jr., Edward Johnson, Karl Lehmann, Southern states secretary; R. M. Wilson, H. G. Braxton, Miss Mary L. Winslow, of Kansas City; H. N. McDiarmid, George L. Mitchell, Miss Susie Wooten, Roy Bell and others.

SULZER'S AMERICAN PARTY TO SUPPORT REPUBLICANS.

New York, Oct. 4.—The American party, organized in 1914 by William Sulzer, former governor of New York, plans to take an active part in the present campaign, it was announced here tonight. Mr. Sulzer asserts that his party had definitely decided to support the entire Democratic ticket until it was "double crossed" recently by Democratic leaders who were entrusted with petitions to be filed and failed to file them.

Now, he says, the party will support the National Republican ticket, and a part of the State Republican ticket.

New Orleans, Oct. 4.—John M. Parker departed tonight for Cleveland, where on Saturday night he will open his campaign speaking tour as the Progressive nominee for Vice President. Mr. Parker reiterated that he would speak as a Progressive and would oppose the election of Mr. Hughes as President, but that he would not take the stump in behalf of President Wilson.

If you want peace and prosperity, help Wilson win with a contribution to the campaign fund.

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BIG DEMAND FOR CARS CAUSES SHORTAGE ON ATLANTIC COST LINE

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lantic Coast Line for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1916, was $9,854,271 against $7,043,161 for the preceding fiscal year.

The total operating revenues for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1916, were $34,445,110, against $31,536,475 for the preceding fiscal year.

The volume of business as will be seen from the tabular statement below, was not as great as that of 1914 and 1913, but the operating expenses were reduced to such an extent that the net income for 1916 shows an increase over 1915 of $2,811,110 and over 1914 of $794,738, while it comes within $181,792 of equaling the net revenue of 1913, which is known as "the big year' in Coast Line history.

Increases for taxes in the fiscal year ending June 30, 1916, were about 13 per cent greater than in the year ending June 30, 1915, totaling $204,674. Taxes have gone steadily upward in the last four years as will be seen from the statement below.

The following tables show in detail how the war affected earnings, and also how near the business of the road has come to completely recovering from its effects this year, despite the fact that it is a presidential year and what is generally recognized in the business world as an off year so far as trade activity is concerned.

Operating Revenues.

1915-16	$34,445,110
1914-15	31,536,475
1913-14	36,832,780
1912-13	36,128,072

Operating Expenses.

1915-16	$22,797,008
1914-15	22,904,157
1913-14	26,212,088
1912-13	24,635,532

Net Operating Revenues.

1915-16	$11,648,102
1914-15	8,632,318
1913-14	10,620,692
1912-13	11,487,540

Taxes.

1915-16	$ 1,793,831
1914-15	1,589,157
1913-14	1,561,159
1912-13	1,451,477

Operating Income.

1915-16	$ 9,854,271
1914-15	7,043,161
1913-14	9,059,533
1912-13	10,036,063

MUCH INTEREST IN FIRE PREVENTION DAY AROUSED

Will Be Observed in Many Places in State October 9.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 4.—Commissioner of Insurance James R. Young will be in Wilmington October 9 to deliver an address in connection with especially extensive observance of Fire Prevention Day. Sherwood Brockwell, the expert fire-fighter of the Department of Insurance, will be in Charlotte to deliver an address in connection with the observance of Fire Prevention day there. Mrs. Holloweil, of the department, is to be in Asheville to make an address for a similar occasion on that day. Commissioner Young says that he is receiving calls from numbers of prominent citizens who have accepted invitations to deliver Fire Prevention Day addresses in different parts of the State.

CORN SHOW PREMIUM LIST ATTRACTING MUCH ATENTION

Copies of Booklet Make Favorable Impression in Raleigh.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 4.—An especially attractive gold embossed premium list for the fourth annual corn show, at Wilmington, is attracting much attention and favorable comment here. The show is to be November 7-10 and the exhibits are to represent a scope of territory that includes New Hanover, Brunswick, Pender, Duplin, Bladen, Sampson, Robeson, Onslow and Cumberland counties.

While it is primarily a corn show, the exhibits will, according to the premium list, cover the whole scope of the agricultural products of the section, canned goods, needle work and a great variety of other things usually included in a full fledged fair.

CARS IN ATLANTA RAN LAST NIGHT ON REDUCED SCHEDULES

Some Outlying Districts, However, were Without Service.

Atlanta Ga., October 4. — Service on reduced schedules on local and suburban street cars continued tonight, except on several lines in outlying districts, where the company maintained its crews would be injured by sympathizers with striking motormen and conductors. Numerous cases of petty disorder continued to be reported today.

Union organizers stated tonight that "approximately 700" motormen and conductors had left the trolley company's service in aid of the Union's efforts to enforce recognition by the company.

Representatives of the company put the total of strikers at "about 150." The strikers today obtained a permit for a parade tomorrow, "to show their strength to the public."

W. C. T. U. HEARS DR. ANNA GORDON

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on subscription to State and National newspapers, Mrs. Ida Vickory, Miss Mildred Blackburn; on courtesies, Mrs. E. M. Battis, Mrs. Scott, Mrs. C. S. Myres, on religion, Mrs. B. W. Hatcher, Mrs. Walter Horton.

The memorial service that was planned for yesterday morning, was postponed until the afternoon session. This service is held annually as a token of respect and affection to the members of the Union who have died during the year. The services yesterday afternoon were exceedingly beautiful and impressive and were conducted by Mrs. E. M. Battis.

At the afternoon service, the president, Mrs. Goodno, delivered her address. She touched on national legislation and other issues before the Union, and gave a very concise outline showing the progress of prohibition. Reports were also read by the corresponding secretary, treasurer and auditor.

Programme for Today.

Today's programme is as follows:

9 A. M.—Meeting of Executive committee.

10 A. M.—Convention called to order. Devotional—Mrs. M. J. Carroll. Reading of minutes.

10:20 A. M.—Reports of departments: Anti-Narcotics—Mrs. Annie Armstrong.

Loyal Temperance Legion—Mrs. Wm. Boettcher.

Young People's Branch—Mrs. Chas. Doak.

Literature—Mrs. Augusta Leggett.

10:50—Final report or credentials committee.

Election of officers.

Election of superintendents.

Noontide prayer.

Announcements.

Adjournment.

2 P. M.—President's conference.

2:30—Convention called to order.

Devotional.

Reading of minutes.

Reports of departments:

Press—Mrs. B. W. Hatcher.

Proportionate and Systematic Giving—Mrs. Arthur Lyon.

Prison and Jail—Mrs. Elizabeth Stevik.

Scientific Temperance—Mrs. B. N. Mann.

Mercy—Mrs. A. H. Yerby.

Peace and Arbitration—Mrs. Mary E. M. Davis.

Co-Operation with Missionary Societies—Mrs. B. E. Moore.

Medal Contest—Mrs. Mary E. W. White.

Sabbath Observance—Mrs. S. H. Scott

Flower Mission—Mrs. S. N. White.

Report of State and National Papers—Mrs. Ida Vickory.

Social Meetings and Red Letter Days—Mrs. J. M. Boles.

Moral Education—Mrs. J. E. Sills.

Reports of Committees—Telegram, Finance, Resolution, Courtesies.

Election of delegates to National Convention.

Introduction of hostesses.

Invitations for next convention.

Announcements.

Adjournment.

Automobile ride.

Thursday Night.

Organ Prelude by Miss Cannie Chasten.

Hymn—"All Hail the Power of Jesus' Name," by Audience.

Scripture reading and prayer by Rev. M. T. Plyler, pastor of Grace Methodist church.

Solo—"The Lord is My Light" (Allitson) by Miss Katherine Vollers.

Readings—(a) "Write it Everywhere" by Alex. Boone; (b) "Little Blossom", by Florence Tucker.

Quartette—"O Come Let Us Sing," (Millard) by Miss Katherine Vollers, Mrs. F. A. Muse and Messrs. Charles Schulken and W. B. Muse.

Readings—(a) "Whiskey, Where is Thy Place," by Mary Bellamy Bagg; (b) "Is Intemperance Nothing to Me?" by Dorothy Boone.

Demonstration, showing the progress of prohibition, by 19 young women.

Chorus—"Send Out the Light" (Gounod) sung by Miss Katherine Vollers, Mesdames W. A. Fonveille, James Avery Parham, Muse, J. S. Pryse, J. D. Edwards, and Messrs. Charles Schulken, D. A. Lockfaw, Edgar Childs, W. B. Muse, Robbins and Alderman.

Song—"America," by the school children.

Benediction.

Adjournment.

The musical programme tonight will be under the direction of Miss Cannie Chasten, organist of the First Baptist church, and the programme as given was announced by her last night.

Belmont, Mass., Oct. 4.—Playing better golf than at any time since the tournament opened, Miss Alexa Stirling, of Atlanta, Southern champion, defeated Mrs. G. H. Stetson, of Huntington Valley, 5 up and 4 to play in the second round matches today of the national championship tournament of the Woman's Golf Association.

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RUSSIAN ADVANCE ON LEMBERG STILL IS HELD IN CHECK

(Continued from Page One.)

says the Serbians, in addition to defeating the Bulgars in Nize Hill, have captured the Kessali railroad station. The Serbian territory, recaptured by the Entente Allies, says the dispatch, now aggregates 230 square kilometres.

Italians Reoccupy Position.

The Italian troops have recapeured from the Austrians the northern slopes of Col Bricon and further advanced their position in this region, according to Rome.

King Constantine has accepted the resignation of the Greek cabinet and a new ministry is to be formed, in which three followers of former Premier Venizelos, an adherent of the cause of the Entente Allies, will have portfolio.

TO RECEIVE NO PAY.

Recruits Who Were Rejected are Ruled from the Pay Roll.

Washington, Oct. 4.—Recruits from militia organizations obtained during the recent recruiting campaign but who failed to pass physical qualifications will receive no pay under a ruling today by the comptroller of the treasury. Only a few men are affected and none of them served more than two or three days.

VON TIRPITZ DECLINES.

Refuses to Accept Nomination for Seat in the Reichstag.

Berlin, via London, Oct. 4.—Admiral von Tirpitz, former head of the German admiralty, was offered the conservative nomination for a Reichstag seat vacancy to be filled at a by-election in Saxony, but declined, replying that he had decided in the interests of Germany's cause, to accept no candidacy during the war.

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THURSDAY, OCTOBER 5, 1916.

TOP O' THE MORNING.

The mental and moral, like the muscular powers, are improved only by being used. —MILLS.

How can anybody fill a quart bottle half full?

Columbia persists in calling it Maine street, but we always thought it was Richardson street.

Teddy strikes out from the shoulder but it is Hughes whom he strikes out. What has he got against the Judge?

A gallant man believes in love at first sight but a crusty bachelor does not believe in love by a darn sight.

The New Bern Sun Journal calls Teddy a gas bag, but it's our idea that he gives us a good imitation of the entire gas works.

We have two great reasons for voting for Wilson for President again. One of them is Hughes and the other one is Roosevelt.

Roosevelt, nominee of the Progressive party for President, is supporting Hughes, while the Hon. John M. Parker, of New Orleans, still the Progressive party candidate for vice-president, is supporting Wilson.

A girl is liable to get prettier every day if her father has the cotton that will wreath her beauty in smiles. "Old Man Brown," so to speak, has two-er-reasons for voting for Wilson. He has the cotton and he has the girls.

Some men, a far off, of course, play the hog, but they persuade themselves that they are not hogs on that account. In that way they avoid making heartless reflections upon the regular hog family—including the razor back.

A man thinks he is having the time of his life when he and other lobsters are camping out and messing around a fishing hole which breeds lots of mosquitoes but few fish. They will tell evrybody about "our fishing party" but they know that it was only a walrus party that they have been pretending to enjoy.

The only way to enjoy prosperity is to be grateful for it and show it by voting for Woodrow Wilson. A vote otherwise might change our luck, because a change of administration is apt to change the very conditions under which we are enjoying peace and prosperity. Always "let well enough alone" when it is decidedly in your favor and to your interest.

A lady saw a winter wrap which looked good to her. She described it to her old man and asked him to advise her whether to buy it or not. Believing that she had the money and needed the wrap, the old codger advised her to buy. Acting upon His advice she bought the wrap and the bill will reach him about the first of November when it will be too cool for him to fall dead. That is the way the lady saved her money, unless she forgets about it and lends it to the old man.

The Hon. Robert Broadnax Glenn has entered into the campaign against the old enemy, but the Republicans snarl to the effect that he is just home from the Lame Duck Roost. Nevertheless, they may well hate to see a cyclone coming after them to get their goats. When he shucks his collar he will shuck Republicans in such a way that they will feel like the traditional June bug that a healthy duck with two legs decided to gobble. Oh, it's no "lame duck" that has come off the roost, but a genuine shredding machine which shreds Republicans. 'The mills of the gods grind slow but they grind exceeding fine," yet, already, it's Bob Glenn who personally conducts a shredder that is geared up with lightning for converting raw material into frazzles.

A BOMB SHELL IN THE HUGHES CAMP.

A bomb shell has been dropped in the Hughes camp. Dr. Charles W. Eliot, president emeritus of Harvard University, has announced in a magazine article that he is ardently in favor of the re-election of President Wilson. Dr. Eliot has been a life-long Republican and has been a strong supporter of Colonel Roosevelt, but as a great educator and able student of government and the serious conditions to be met by the different countries of the world, he sees America's need of continuing the Democratic administration which has so successfully handled her destinies through the world's greatest crisis and the lesser crises in which our own country has been directly concerned.

One of the remarkable features in this present National campaign has been the powerful support that has logically come to President Wilson from a galaxy of America's most eminent men—the strong thinker as well as the men of world genius and the men of great affairs. When men like Dr. Eliot, Mr. Thomas A. Edison and hundreds of others hardly less eminent turn to Wilson for the sake of their country, the people can well be guided by their wisdom and patriotism at a time like this.

In a strong article in the Atlantic Monthly, Dr. Eliot states the reasons why he has come to the conclusion that the safety of our nation can best be trusted into the keeping of Wilson and the Democratic party. De declares that "the Democratic party has done such an extraordinary amount of good work during the present administration that the period from 1912 to 1916 will be memorable in the history of the United States; and, secondly, that the man chiefly responsible for this consummate service to the American people should be again made their chief servant."

Dr. Eliot reviews at length the really marvelous achievements of the Democratic administration during a period of three and a half years, and by consecutive and striking processes of reasoning he emphasizes the reasons why Wilson should by all means be elected for a second term. These reasons become powerful in their array as they are presented to justify the position taken by a man possessed of strong mentality and recognized power for analytical study—not from a partizan point of view but from an unbiased, intellectual and patriotic view.

Dr. Eliot summarizes under nine heads his reasons for supporting President Wilson. The first reason is the "moderate and conservative" revision of the tariff, "made promptly by the Democratic Congress and administration, and in a wise and successful way" and taking effect "at a fortunate moment." The second reason is the repeal of the act concerning the Panama Canal tolls, this step being "an important contribution by the Democratic administration to the civilized practice of observing scrupulously all treaty obligations." The third reason is the successful reformation of the system of banking and currency. Of this achievement Dr. Eliot says that "no American administration has ever before accomplished so great a contribution to the stability and efficiency of American business credit and financial enterprise." The fourth reason is the prompt enactment of a national income tax law, in Dr. Eliot's opinion "the justest and most expedient of all taxes in a democracy."

The fifth reason assigned by Dr. Eliot for his support of President Wilson is the President's policy of "no war with Mexico," and "no intervention by force of arms to protect on foreign soil American commercial and manufacturing adventurers who of their own free will have invested their money or risked their lives in foreign parts under alien jurisdictions." Dr. Eliot holds that the President's dealings with regard to Mexico "are great contributions to the peace of the world and to the promotion of humane and just dealings between nations." Under the sixth head Dr. Eliot places President Wilson's great accomplishments in the direction of Pan-American unity, accomplishments which far surpass all that the Republicans have ever done towards the same end. The seventh reason is concerned with the President's foreign policy in respect to the European war and with his work for preparedness. "The facts may be left to speak for themselves," says Dr. Eliot, and the first of them is that "President Wilson, without going to war with Germany, has forced from her a recognition of neutral rights," while the second is that "the Democratic administration and Congress have made far the largest appropriations for the increase and improvement of the American navy than have ever been made," Mr. Wilson having "gone further in this direction than any other American President." The eighth reason is the enactment by the Democratic administration and Congress of "a considerable number of measures which directly promote in wise ways American industries," and the ninth is the unprecedented attention paid by the administration to such humanitarian action as the Federal Government may properly take.

It is difficult to outline such a strong article as that of America's most eminent educator, and we have given the merest outline so as to enable our readers to note the strong ground he takes. Such an article will prove to be a dreadnaught broadside to the Hughes campaign, and it is all the more significant that Dr. Eliot has drawn a convincing parallel between Democratic performances and Republican promises, all of which moves him to express the deliberate opinion that in three years and a half the Democratic party guided by the strong hand of President Wilson "has done much more for the country than the Republican party accomplished in five times as many years."

THE WILES OF A WIDOW

A Baltimore widower, aged 75, who has been flirting with a widow, came very near having to pay $20,000 in a breach of promise suit just ended in the Maryland metropolis. The couple had exchanged a lot of boyish and girlish letters, and it was proved in the presence of a grave and dignified judge that the widower had kittened up to the widow while sitting on a sofa, and it came out in evidence that he had held her hand and called her "Tillie," and even persuaded her to "kiss nighties" at the front door. He also wrote her honeyfied cards, inscribed "From Jimmie to Tillie," but the widow couldn't produce enough evidence to prove that Jimmie had actually gotten serious enough to become engaged.

Your Uncle Jimmie was only a gay Lothario and was pranking around like the boys, getting all the sweetness out of life that was coming to him. The widow wined and dined Jimmie several times, and although the eats gave him indigestion and came very nearly winding his ball of yarn, he always went around some more and got the good eats and a good time out of the widow. "They were surely after him," but the old sport was always cunning enough to retain possession of his faculties, and so he entered gaily into the spirit of the festivities, yet always acting discreetly, like as if he already was engaged to some other girl. Meanwhile, however, he had learned the widow to love him and hope to be more than a sister to him, but in the course of time Jimmie got shy and wriggled off her hook.

Nevertheless, the old gentleman had aroused a considerable lot of fond expectations on the part of his Desdemoney, so she entered suit for heart balm in the goodly sum of 20,000 beans. He had the money, but a lawyer saved a large portion of it for himself and the balance of it for Uncle Jimmie. No doubt, however, the lawyer has made it all right with him by convincing him that had it not been for his great legal attainments and professional adroitness, Jimmie would no more have escaped the widow's net than a hapless mullet could make sure of its safety when the purse seine is negotiated in shallow water.

In the midst of the gaieties of life we should always have a thought of the snares that we are too giddy to suspect. An innocent bystander who goes probing around without knowing that it's loaded is liable to be hooked up for a sucker. Yea, finally, there be those who are deceiving and being deceived, but when they get in the sand man's trap they have to pay a lawyer to get them out of the toils and put the blame on those who have had to put up with a large share of deception themselves. Uncle Jimmie got out of having to pay the widow 20,000 plunks, but what was our old uncle doing when he tried to be too gay? Verily, those who get their gaiety at the expense of others, should reflect that it is a game at which two can play, with two goats as the stake—one the scape goat, and the other, just the regular goat.

In the case of Uncle Jimmie, the widow may have had her wiles, but the thing that worries us is what to call Uncle Jimmie's knack of having his lady friends look on him as something soft.

COTTON, CORN AND HOGS

A man who has made himself absolutely independent, without growing cotton up to this year, tried cotton this year on sixteen acres of land which he expects will produce from one to two bales per acre, unless he has planted it too close to enable a tremendous weed to mature as it would if the crop had plenty of room for air and sun. His cotton was planted in rich swamp land that produces from 90 to 100 bushels of corn per acre, besides the company crops that he raises with corn.

This swamp land cotton was exceedingly promising at last accounts, but our farmer friend was grieving that he had wasted his time on 12 cents cotton, yet, as the price has sprung up to 16 cents, he feels better satisfied. Nevertheless, he says it cannot come up to his profit on corn, peas, peanuts, potatoes, hogs and cows. His plan heretofore has been to gather a profitable corn crop, gather all the other products that he wants, and then turn in his cattle and hogs so they can convert the residue into meat, butter and milk. Acre for acre, he has demonstrated that his way of farming with the meat harvest in view, has cotton skinned a block, even at 15 to 16 cents for cotton. There is a system to be followed, of course, but the hog and corn profits furnish all the argument needed.

It happens that cotton has saved its face a little bit this year, but our diversification farmer says that cotton and tobacco, and other crops are all right as a side issue with the main kind of farming.

Yes, look how potential and prosperous this country is! Hughes and Teddy are up against it with their despairing activity and garrulous impotency. The fellow who yells the most is the one who has his foot in it and wants help.

SHOULD LEARN SPANISH.

Spanish should be the second language learned by every American. From a business point of view, its importance is second only to English. From a literary point of view, while not as rich as French and German, it has resources which will never be exhausted by any American student.

A course in Spanish is being offered in the Wilmington High School for the first time this year. It is a step in the right direction. The language is already being taught in the Charlotte, Durham and Greensboro High Schools. North Carolina is to be congratulated in taking the lead among the Southern states in the study of a language of the peoples of the Spanish-speaking countries of South America and Mexico.

While the favorite reason urged for the study of Spanish in the United States is that it will be useful from a trade standpoint, its importance from political, economic and cultural points of view cannot be doubted in view of recent events in Mexico and other countries to the south of us.

The 100,000,000 people of the United States will have more and more to do with the 80,000,000 people of Spanish America in business, natural science, arts, literature and politics. The opening of the Panama Canal and the great European war have tended to bring the two great American peoples much closer together.

More people in the western hemisphere speak Spanish than any other language except English. It is the foreign language closest home. Our consuls have repeatedly urged upon manufacturers that salesmen might as well be dumb as not to know Spanish, so far as doing business with Latin-America is concerned.

Every one will admit that if nations understood each other better they would soon come to appreciate each other's virtues. Few people who learn the language and really mix with Spanish-speaking people fail to be inspired with a positive liking for both the language and the people.

In brief, it is high time for not only our schools not only in Wilmington but elsewhere, to get busy and remove this "tariff on ideas" which ignorance of foreign languages imposes.

CURRENT COMMENT.

Water bills for the past month show the promised reduction of 25 cents and consumers are paying in happier spirits. The management of the water board will be the better understood by the people of the city when the last of the indebtedness of the company shall have been paid off the coming spring and the way will be clear to the establishment of a still cheaper schedule of water rates. The board has been steadily liquidating this debt and has been doing so with the imposition of the minimum of burden on consumers. In this there has been an adrable display of financial skill. The plant once cleared of debt, water will be supplied to the people of Charlotte at as near actual cost as safety will permit.—Charlotte Observer.

Secretary Baker has announced that a board of experts will be appointed soon to study types of machine guns best suited for the use of the United States army. The board will make a special investigation of the Lewis machine gun, invented by Col. Isaac Lewis, retired, of the United States army but rejected by this government. Here is a matter of which we hope all Americans of the Republican persuasion will take careful note. The Democrats are about to remedy, in so far as that is now possible, another gigantic blunder of the Republicans in respect to preparedness. The rejection of the Lewis machine gun was one of the worst preparedness blunders ever committed by this country. That has been amply demonstrated by the use the British have been making of this gun during the present war. It was rejected by the United States while the Republicans were in control of the government, in fact, during the reign of the great Theodore himself. It is not a bit more unreasonable to hold the Republican party responsible for this blunder of the ordnance department than it is to hold the Democrats responsible for some of the military shortcomings which Colonel Roosevelt, Gussie Gardner et al, law at President Wilson's door.—Charleston News and Courier.

Mr. Olney, says a New York paper, is one of a steadily increasing army of thoughtful Americans whom Mr. Hughes has disillusioned and who are both astounded and disgusted by the character of the Hughes campaign. This is well said except that it limits the disillusioned ones to too small a section of the population. One does not have to be particularly thoughtful to realize that Hughes is the most perfect frost in the way of a candidate for a great big place that the American people have been called upon to observe in a long time, in fact, since the establishment of the government. It is true that Mr. Hughes has had a difficult task in trying to set up some sort of respectable opposition to the policies of Woodrow Wilson and the men in the Democratic party who have held up the President's hands in the great reform movements which have been launched in this country. But the former Supreme Court Justice has not made a fraction of the best of a bad job. The Republican candidate is said to have manifested some magnetism and personality in his state campaigns in New York, but we defy any fair-minded man to say he can extend a particle of power from his present-day speeches as they are reported in the papers. The New York paper can safely enlarge the class of the disillusioned ones. It has been too conservative in its estimate.—Raleigh News and Observer.

NEW STUDENT COUNCIL.

Is Formally Installed at Chapel Hill With Brief Talk by President.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Chapel Hill, N. C., Oct. 4.—The student council for 1916-17 was formally installed at the chapel hour yesterday, with a brief talk by President Graham. The council is composed of the presidents of the three upper classes, representatives from the three professional schools, a representative at large chosen by the council, and a representative at large chosen by the student body.

HAS RECORD ATTENDANCE

Franklin High School at Harrell's Store Begins Sessions.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kerr, N. C., Oct. 4.—Monday was a day of joy to many school children in this section. The occasion was the opening of the Franklin High School at Harrell's Store. Many of the patrons were present at the opening and seemed much pleased with prospects for the year. Especially were they pleased by the fact that Bladen and Pender were also represented in the school.

The opening was later than usual on account of Prof. George S. Beatty's having met with an accident at Elizabethtown while in the employ of the government on lock and dam No. 2. After having undergone an operation it was found that he would not be able to take up the work and Mrs. Beatty was selected to fill the vacancy, as she has had a number of years' in this line of work and has been very successful in her work in Wake, Randolph and other counties.

The intermediate work, which is so important to the success of the children, is under the supervision of Miss Katie Hawes, of Atkinson. Miss Hawes has taught in Wilmington, Lillington and elsewhere and is very successful in this special line of work.

KINGS MOUNTAIN CELEBRATION.

Governor Stuart to Speak—Governor Craig and Staff to Attend.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 4.—Governor Craig and numbers of the members of his military staff will go to Kings Mountain on Saturday of next week for the 140th anniversary of the battle of Kings Mountain which is to be elaborately celebrated with Governor Stuart, of Virginia, as the principal speaker. Governor Craig and staff will join Governor Stuart and party Saturday morning, probably at Salisbury, and all will arrive at Kings Mountain on the same train.

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To feel like young folks feel; like you felt before your blood, nerves and muscles became loaded with body impurities, get from your pharmacist a quarter pound of limestone phosphate which is inexpensive and almost tasteless, except for a sourish twinge which is not unpleasant.

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ORIGINAL STROLLERS' QUARTETTE

THIS WILL BE THE ONLY LYCEUM COURSE IN THE CITY THIS SEASON.

MAY ESTABLISH LABOR BUREAU FOR NEGROES

Council Unable to Prevent Drainage of Workers.

Extension of Waterworks to Northern Part of City Urged by Rotarians. To Cut Out Glaring Lights on Automobiles.

The wholesale drainage of negro labor from Wilmington to Northern cities presents a serious problem, declared Capt. E. P. Bailey in speaking to the Rotary Club before City Council yesterday, and he suggested that the city should provide work for them by starting the improvement of streets, but in view of the lack of money in the municipal treasury, which was emphasized by Councilman McCaig, he suggested that possibly a labor bureau could be established which would help in solving the problem.

While it did not appear that Council could do anything to remedy the situation, Councilman L. M. Bunting was appointed as a representative of the city to meet with the Rotary Club committee to devise such remedies as may seem best suited for the urgent necessity of doing something to keep the laborers in Wilmington.

That the lack of money will prevent the city from undertaking the extension of water mains to the northern part of the city this year was the statement made by Councilman McCaig and concurred in by the other councilmen in response to the request of a delegation from the Rotary Club composed of Messrs. D. H. Howes, Jr., and W. M. Atkinson that the manufacturing plants in that section of the city should be afforded some protection from fire.

The use of glaring lights on automobiles will be prohibited in Wilmington after 30 days from this date, according to an ordinance adopted yesterday by Council upon motion of Councilman Hall. The ordinance provides that "the headlights shall be so arranged that no portion of the beam of the reflected light when measured 75 feet or more ahead of the lamps shall rise above 42 inches from the level surface on which the vehicle stands."

Such headlights shall also give sufficient side illumination to indicate any person, vehicle or substantial object ten feet ahead of the lamp, the ordinance provides and a "beam of light" is defined as meaning the approximately focalized rays gathered and projected by a reflector, lens or other device.

That the Rotary Club has not favored the placing of a prohibiting tax on labor agents was made very clear by Captain Bailey, who stated that the papers had incorrectly reported his position in the matter. He thought that negroes are leaving because of a lack of work and confessed he could not blame them for doing so. The remedy, he suggested, is to provide work for them. It is very important to retain them in the community, he explained, because soon the fertilizer factories and all of the cotton compresses will be ready for operation and there will be no hands to operate them.

Mr. C. W. Rodgers, of the Rotary Club committee, suggested that a public appeal might be made to have citizens make a special effort to employ labor.

Councilman McCaig thought that conditions complained of in Wilmington were not exceptional, but that they obtained in all sections of the South. He explained that as the city has already appropriated $324,000 for its annual budget with only an income in sight of $319,000, it was obviously impossible to use money in employing labor unless it is borrowed in the open market or bonds are issued. He suggested that the Rotary Club might have the Chamber of Commerce call a special meeting and make such recommendations as were deemed wise. Personally he was not in favor of providing employment for the public out of the public funds. However, if the citizens wanted to vote a couple of hundred thousand dollars in bonds, it would be all right with him.

John E. Taylor, a respected member of the negro race in Wilmington, thought the colored people are victims of unfortunate circumstances in two ways. They are oppressed by poverty and lack of work on one hand, said he, and they lack schools and other such advantages on the other, both of which they can secure in the North. It is very evident, he thought, that it is a lack of work that is driving negroes away because they are not leaving Charlotte, Winston-Salem and other cities in the Piedmont section of the State. He praised the older residents of Wilmington for what they did after the War Between the States in providing for the negroes. He thought the establishment of an employment bureau would be a good thing.

That the newspapers have been derelict in failing to tell but one side of the question was the opinion of Mr. C. C. Chadbourn, who stated that conditions in the North were not so rosesate as some seemed to think. He thought that the newspapers could do a great deal in enlightening public opinion on this important matter.

Mr. J. H. Curtis approved the idea of having a labor employment bureau but as a representative of the working men of the city he would be opposed to the placing of a prohibitive tax on labor agents.

Councilman McCaig didn't favor a prohibitive tax for labor agents, but saw no reason why they should not pay some tax. However, City Attorney Ruark again expressed the opinion that such a tax would be illegal as the Attorney General has ruled that the agents who have come to Wilmington are not immigrant agents and the State statutes make it a misdemeanor for anyone to induce laborers under contract, either vocal or written, to leave the State. He did not see that Council could do anything.

In urging that the water mains be extended to the northern part of the city, Mr. D. H. Howes pointed out that the industrial enterprises in that section pay out weekly $900 which makes $50,000 a year. However, these industries could not hope to remain, he stated, and pay the high taxes imposed by the city and at the same time have to take great risks because of a lack of fire protection. Mr. Howes' remarks were endorsed by Mr. W. M. Atkinson.

Councilman McCaig explained that the finance committee of Council investigated the proposition a month ago and found that it is indeed very desirable that the water mains be extended but that the city has no money with which to do the work. The entire cost would be about $6,000, it was thought, and the city has already appropriated more money than it has in sight for the ensuing year. There are also other projects that need attention but they cannot be attended to now for a lack of money.

Council again devoted something like a half hour to considering the question of whether or not Annie Purvis, a colored woman, should be allowed to operate a dancing hall in the northern part of the city which caused City Attorney Ruark to remark that it did not seem to him that the time of Council should be taken up with matters that could be easily attended to through the courts, if they are nuisances.

J. C. King, Esq., attorney for the woman, declared that his client had been wrongly accused and that she had been guilty of doing nothing more than running a place where the colored people can gather for innocent amusement. Councilman Hall was directed to take such action as he thought best.

Messrs. P. D. Wells and N. H. Davis were elected as members of the fire department force, the latter as a substitute fireman to fill a vacancy caused by the absence of Assistant Fire Chief W. P. Monroe, who is with the North Carolina Militia on the Mexican border.

Southerland & Weaver were awarded the contract for furnishing the winter uniforms for the firemen, the cost to the city being $19.33 a suit, and J. M. Solky & Co. were given the contract for furnishing the winter uniforms to the policemen at a cost of $18.25 each.

Councilmen Merritt and Jones did not attend the meeting of Council, which was the regular weekly session.

BEST EXHIBITS IN THE STATE

Corn Show Promoters Determined to Duplicate This Feat Again This Year.

Agricultural experts made the statement last year that the exhibits at the Wilmington Corn Show were the best in North Carolina for the season and it is the intention of those behind the proposition this year to equal, if not surpass, the excellent showing already made for another successful agricultural fair at Wilmington.

The Corn Show this year takes in the usual territory of nine counties—New Hanover, Brunswick, Duplin, Sampson, Columbus, Onslow, Pender, Robeson and Bladen, and it is planned to increase the exhibits at least 50 per cent. Already a great deal of interest is being taken in the coming event, which is one week earlier this year, and this alone, it is believed, will afford an opportunity for a larger attendance and more extensive agricultural exhibits.

The Executive Committee will have another meeting within the next few days at which time the location will be definitely determined and the various committees announced. The splendid arrangement and the great variety of premiums offered, as shown by the prize list book, which has been thoroughly distributed over the large territory, is already creating a great deal of favorable comment. The people in the country now recognize the Corn Show as a fixed proposition; the success last year created widespread comment and they are looking forward to the show this year with keen anticipation.

The rates over the Atlantic Coast Line and Seaboard Air Line embrace a much larger territory and are very much more attractive than last year. The merchants in the surrounding counties are given their usual cordial co-operation to assist the show.

As already stated, tents will be used again in a central location and this alone is an added and most interesting attraction. The success of the fair last year was to a large extent brought about by the splendid location, and this is one feature fully appreciated by the people of the city and they have been more than ready to give their co-operation for a down-town site.

Mr. J. P. Herring, the county farm demonstration agent, has already effectively commenced his work in the interest of the show and will duplicate his splendid work of last year.

AGED VETERAN HERE

Mr. W. H. Chancey of Lake Waccamaw, in City For Treatment.

Aged, infirm and tottering, seamed and furrowed by the ravages of over four score years, but with a twinkle of good fellowship in his one good eye, Mr. W. H. Chancey, of Lake Waccamaw, a veteran of the Civil War, was an interesting caller at The Star office yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Chancey came to the city Tuesday to have one of his eyes, which is affected by some malady, treated by a specialist. The old soldier is now in his 85th year. He enlisted for service in the Confederate army, at Wilmington, on May 12, 1862, and was assigned duty at Fort Fisher. After a short service he was honorably discharged and returned to his home. Later he was called again to the colors, and this time was attached to Company C, of the Fourth North Carolina regiment, of Deering's Cavalry Brigade.

While in charge of a herd of cattle belonging to his regiment, Mr. Chancey was captured by the Northern army at Bellefield, Va. He was kept a prisoner here for some time, and was then transferred to the detention camp at Goldsboro, where he remained until the close of hostilities, when he was paroled.

MR. WARRING PROMOTED.

Wilmington Man Rises in the Service of the A. C. L.

Mr. W. L. Warring, Jr., who has been in the employ of the Atlantic Coast Line Railroad Company at Wilmington for several years, has been promoted to the position of chief clerk in the office of the assistant general freight agent in Jacksonville, Fla. Mr. and Mrs. Warring will leave the latter part of the week for their new home.

While the many Wilmington friends of Mr. and Mrs. Warring will be glad to learn of Mr. Warring's promotion, they will deeply regret losing them as citizens.

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RETAIL BUSINESS IN WILMINGTON IMPROVED

Clothing and Dry Goods Merchants Selling More Goods.

Increased Demand for Better Grade of Clothing and Shoes—People Are Feeling Much Better—Optimism Prevails.

That the people of Wilmington are more confident as to the business outlook than they have been for the past two years with the result that they are buying more of the better class of clothing and shoes is the general opinion of retail merchants in these lines in Wilmington.

While there is no evidence that a "howling" wave of prosperity has struck this section, business for September this year was much better than for the same month last year and the outlook certainly is much brighter than it was a year ago. Business conditions on the whole have been improving all along during the year, though it has been so gradual that it was not evident to the casual observer.

Reflex From North.

The North has been enjoying for the past eight months a general era of prosperity, reports of which have been brought back to this section by visitors but there has been heretofore little evidence that it had struck the South. Local students of business conditions say it usually takes about eight months to a year for the prosperity wave to extend from the North to the South and they believe it is now due.

In this connection it is also pointed out that when conditions in the North are the reverse that the South is the last to feel it. This is easily accounted for by the fact that the South is largely engaged in agricultural pursuits and it is not until a crop is raised that the products can be sold, while in the North the manufactured products can be disposed of quickly.

At the suggestion of an enthusiastic Rotarian, who had himself interviewed a large number of business men to see if the improved conditions in his own business was reflected in other enterprises in the city, a number of retail merchants were seen yesterday by a Star representative. Almost without a single exception, they said they had enjoyed a much larger trade during September than they did last year and that the indications are that it will continue. This is attributed directly to the increased price of cotton and cotton seed and other products grown on the farm.

That conditions are somewhat abnormal, due to the European war and also to the fact that this is the year for the Presidential election, is admitted but in spite of this there is a feeling of confidence that has been lacking for the past two years. The people as a whole are certainly feeling better and it is not due to any hypnotic influences other than that money is more plentiful.

High Prices Will Help.

Mr. M. W. Jacobi, president of the Chamber of Commerce, senior member of the Jacobi Hardware Company, said yesterday that conditions are undoubtedly better than they have been, particularly in Eastern North Carolina, where the crops are good. In the western part of the State, crops were badly damaged by the floods in July and crops will not be over 50 per cent of normal in many parts of the stricken area. However, the increased prices will help out wonderfully, Mr. Jacobi stated, but the effects of the near panic of 1914 is still being felt and much of the money will have to be used in paying off overdue obligations. Business for September, he has found, is possibly better than last year, while undoubtedly the people are feeling better.

Lumber Business Better.

That the lumber business this year has been fully 50 per cent better for some months than for the corresponding months last year is the opinion of Mr. Herbert Lynch, of the Clark-Lynch Lumber Company, who also added that the volume of business of his firm this year will be far ahead, according to present indications, of both last year and also of 1914. The outlook for the future is most satisfactory.

"Our building material business in August was the best we have ever had and September was still better," declared Mr. Roger Moore, of Roger Moore Sons Company, yesterday when asked to state his opinion of business conditions. "The outlook for the future is the best I have ever known," he added, "and we certainly have no reason to complain."

"Our business is way yonder ahead of last year and there has been a constant increase with every indication that it will improve," was the way the members of the Davis-Moore Paint Company described the situation.

Big Demand for Shoes.

Without a single exception Wilmington shoe dealers agree that business this season is much greater in volume than last year, not only in the amount but also in the number of better shoes sold.

"Although shoes have gone up, this has not effected the demand for the better class of shoes," said Mr. L. W. Wessell, of the Wilmington Shoe Company, yesterday. "We did almost double the business for the past month as we did in September of last year and the outlook is all that could be desired."

"Our business is far ahead of last year and our trade has been especially good from places outside of Wilmington," said Mr. G. W. Chestnutt, of Chestnutt & Freeman. "I was up in Onslow this week and I found conditions very good with indications of good crops."

"Our trade has constantly improved since last February, the beginning of the year in our business," said Mr. D. D. Boylan, of Boylan & Hancock, "and it was much better in September than it was for the same month last year. The outlook is bright and we look for an increased business."

Mr. W. C. Peterson, of Peterson & Ruifs, declared that he had no reason to complain over conditions and while he had not compared figures with last year he believed that the outlook is entirely satisfactory.

Hard to Get Goods.

"Our only trouble is in getting the goods," said Mr. Albert Solomon, of Shrier & Solomon, "and we find that

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ALLIANCE ELECTS OFFICERS

Annual Meeting of Members of German-American Alliance Was Held Last Night at Club Rooms.

The chief feature of the annual meeting of the members of the German-American Alliance which was held last night in the Germania club rooms was the election of officers for the new year. Officers wer eelected as follows:

President, J. H. Niggel, Jr.
First Vice President, H. E. Bonitz.
Second Vice President, H. T. Duls.
Third Vice President, J. W. H. Fuchs.
Secretary-Treasurer, W. C. Cronenberg.
Secretary for German correspondence, Mr. W. B. Schuler.

Among the matters which came up for discussion was plans for the continuance of the work which the organization is doing for the alleviation of suffering of their ancestral kinsmen in Germany.

Informal addresses were made by President Niggel, Messrs. H. E. Bonitz, J. G. L. Gieschen, Thos. W. Wallace, J. Henry Gerdes and Rev. F. B. Clausen.

Following the business session the members adjourned to the dining hall, wheer an enjoyable repast, prepared under the direction of Mr. C. H. Jurgenson, was served.

ANOTHER RISE IN COTTON.

Quotation on the Wilmington Market Yesterday Went to 16 1-8.

The price of cotton continues to go up—season's records succeeding each other day after day. The quotation on the Wilmington market yesterday was 16 1-8 cents per pound. Not only is this the highest price this season, but it is the highest recorded here for many years. Higher prices have possibly been offered in years past, but it is hardly likely that the high levels were so well maintained as at present. Reports from the leading markets of the country give nothing to indicate a set-back in the prices—nor even anything to indicate that the 20-cent level will not be reached.

Fairly good shipments were received here yesterday, although much lower than on the same day last year. Receipts were 1,301 bales, making a total for the season of 35,500 bales. Receipts on same date last year were 2,372 bales, or 60,076 for the season. These figures are quoted by the Chamber of Commerce. The price of the staple last year for the same date was 11 1-4 cents.

STEAMER ARBOREAN CLEARS.

Discharged Cargo of Nitrate of Soda Brought Here From Chile.

The American steamship Arborean, which arrived here about a week ago from Iquique, Chile, bringing 3,307 tons of nitrate of soda, cleared yesterday after having discharged her cargo. She will go to Newport News from here light and will probably sail some time today. The vessel and her cargo came to Helde & Co., ship brokers.

The Arborean was one of the largest steamers ever to come to this port, and some of the older shipping men say that in point of tonnage she was the largest. The vessel has a net tonnage of 3,662 and was launched in March of this year at Sparrow's Point, Md. She is 389 feet long, 54 feet, 7 inches beam, and has a hold depth of 28 feet, 9 inches.

It is reported that the vessel, which is at present owned by the American-Hawaiian Steamship Company, has been sold for a sum around $1,000,000. This was not confirmed here, but it is believed the vessel will go into new hands when she arrives at Newport News.

THE RECORDER'S COURT

Fifteen-Year-Old White Boy Up For Vagrancy—Other Cases.

Earl Hobbs, a 15-year-old white boy, who lives at Delgado, was in the Recorder's court yesterday morning on a charge of vagrancy. While it is technically impossible to convict a child whose parents are living of vagrancy, it was decided that a little vacation away from the city would do Earl some good. Consequently Recorder Empie paroled him in the custody of his father, under the condition that he was to be sent to the country in Onslow county, for a period of 60 days, and that he be sent there not later than October 6.

It cost Ethel Huff, colored, some five dollars in costs for the privilege of firing a pistol in the city limits. Laura Smith, colored, also learned that it didn't pay to have warrants sworn out for spite, after she had been taxed with the costs in case against her husband, Belton Smith, whom she had charged with an assault with a deadly weapon.

EAT LESS MEAT IF BACK HURTS

Take a Glass of Salts to Flush Kidneys If Bladder Bothers You—Drink Lots of Water.

Eating meat regularly eventually produces kidney trouble in some form or other, says a well-known authority, because the uric acid in meat excites the kidneys, they become overworked; get sluggish; clog up and cause all sorts of distress, particularly backache and misery in the kidney region; rheumatic twinges, severe headaches, acid stomach, constipation, torpid liver, sleeplessness, bladder and urinary irritation.

The moment your back hurts or kidneys aren't acting right, or if bladder bothers you, get about four ounces of Jad Salts from any good pharmacy; take a tablespoonful in a glass of water before breakfast for a few days and your kidneys will then act fine. This famous salts is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia, and has been used for generations to flush clogged kidneys and stimulate them to normal activity; also to neutralize the acids in the urine so it no longer irritates, thus ending bladder disorders.

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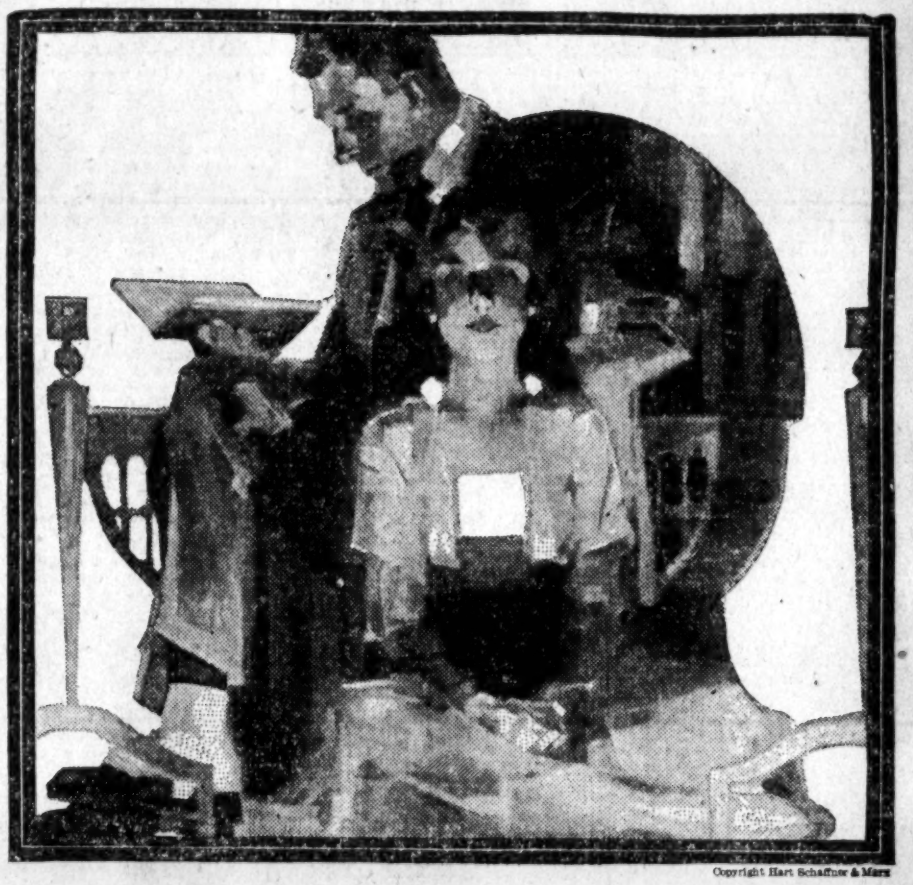

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The Style Book for Autumn

EVERY man who wants to dress well, and who cares what it costs to do it, should look through the Hart Schaffner & Marx Style Book for fall.

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If your copy fails to come to you, let us know; we'll be glad to have another one mailed.

THE A. DAVID COMPANY

SOCIAL and PERSONAL

Mrs. W. Wells, of Rose Hill, is spending several days in the city, with relatives and friends.

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Misses Florence Schloss and Lucille Sternberger have left for Baltimore, where they will take up their studies at Goucher College.

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Mrs. Hattie Harris, who has been spending some time with her sister, Mrs. Samuel Bear, Jr., has returned to her home in Iowa.

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Mrs. W. Wells, of Rose Hill, has arrived in the city and will spend several days here as the guest of Mrs. J. S. Grimes and Mrs. R. H. Melvin.

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There will be an important meeting of the Dorcas Society of St. Paul's Lutheran church, this afternoon at 4 o'clock, all members are urged to attend.

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Misses Eliza and Ellen Bellamy have returned home after spending two months at Old Sweet Springs, W. Va., Waynesboro, Va., and Washington, D. C.

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Mrs. J. W. Bowden, of Petersburg, Va., passed through the city Tuesday en route to her home from Burgaw, where she attended the funeral of her sister-in-law, Mrs. W. F. Bowden.

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The Chorus Choir of St. Paul's Lutheran church, will meet in the church building at 8 o'clock tonight for the purpose of organization and rehearsal. All members are requested to attend.

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Yesterday's Fayetteville Observer: "Mr. and Mrs. Albert Slocomb and family and Miss Minerva Utley have returned from Wrightsville Beach, where they have occupied a cottage during the summer."

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The regular monthly meeting of the Woman's Missionary Society of St. Matthew's Lutheran church will be held at the church this afternoon at 3:30 o'clock. A full attendance of members is desired.

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Miss Margaret Peirce, of Warsaw, arrived last night to visit Miss Atha Hicks and to be here this morning for the opening of Miss Hicks' school in the Cape Fear Apartments. Miss Peirce will leave tonight for Washington, D. C., where she will open her training school for teachers.

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On Friday evening the girls' Bible class of Bethany Presbyterian Sunday school will have a basket party at the Lineker Memorial hall on the Castle Haynes road. The public is cordially invited to attend.

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Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Hodges, of Warsaw, are spending a few days with Captain and Mrs. H. H. Hall, No. 1801 Princess street. While here they will enjoy the surf fishing which is very fine just at this season.

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Yesterday's Charlotte Observer: "Mrs. John Paul Lucas has gone to Wilmington to attend the wedding of her brother, Mr. Archibald Charles-Craft, Jr., the bride-elect being Miss Annie H. Shepard, a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. H. Shepard, of Wilmington. The wedding will be solemnized the afternoon of the 11th inst."

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The Baltimore Sun of Tuesday has the following of local social interest: "Mrs. Pembroke Jones, her son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. J. Russell Pope, of New York; Mrs. Henry M. Flagler, of Florida, and Miss Hannah Bolles, of Wilmington, N. C., were the guests of Mr. Henry Walters on his yacht, the Narada, on a sail from Newport to New York."

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The physical, religious and social committees of the Y. W. C. A. will entertain all the business women of the city in the gymnasium of the association on Friday night at 8 o'clock. It is hoped that a large number will attend to join in the games and stunts that are planned for. The new physical director, Miss Evelyn Kendrick, will make a short talk about the plans for winter. She will be glad to meet and talk with all who come.

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Tuesday's Baltimore Sun: "Lieut. Theodore Marburg, Jr., of the Royal British Flying Corps, and Mrs. Marburg, who had expected to sail for England in September, have prolonged their stay in America, and are still the guests of the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Theodore Marburg, at their cottage at Chester, Nova Scotia. Lieutenant Marburg, who was seriously wounded while on duty in France, was invalided home. On his return to Europe, he expects to resume his military duties."

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SAMPSON COUNTY COUPLE ARE MARRIED IN STORE

That things more romantic than the sale of merchandise can be staged in a department store was demonstrated Monday afternoon when the wedding of Miss Florence Clewis, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. Clewis, of Ivanhoe, Sampson county, and Mr. Archibald Sellars, of the same place, was celebrated in the Belk-Williams store shortly before 2 o'clock in the presence of the employes of the store. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. H. Dobson, of Atkinson.

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WRIGHTSBORO UNITED FARM WOMEN TO BUILD TEACHERAGE

Plans were discussed for building a teacherage at the Wrightsboro school by the United Farm Women of that community at a nenthusiastic meeting held yesterday afternoon. Already more than $100 has been raised for this purpose and the women are confident that they can raise the necessary funds within a short time. Mrs. E. I. Herring is president of the club and Miss Dempsey is the secretary.

Misses Bessie Kelly and Mattie Smith, teachers in the Wrightsboro school, have already secured a house in which they do their own housekeeping and a pleasant feature of the meeting yesterday afternoon was "pounding" of the teachers by the members of the club. A large assortment of packages containing all sorts of provisions was presented to the teachers.

It is planned to build the teacherage near the school building, so that the teachers will be near their work. Those interested in the movement are working energetically to secure the building and are meeting with fine success.

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MISS MILDRED RUTHERFORD TO MAKE HISTORICAL ADDRESS

Those attending the annual convention of the North Carolina Division of the United Daughters of the Confederacy, which will be held this month at Gastonia, will be fortunate in having, the opportunity of hearing an address by Miss Mildred Rutherford, of Athens, Ga., who is recognized as one of the foremost women orators of the country. She has accepted the invitation of the State historian, Miss Georgia Hicks, of Faison, to make the historical address on historical night at the convention, which will be observed on Thursday night, October 12th.

Miss Rutherford is said to be without a peer in the South as a speaker and her address at the last general convention of the Daughters in New Orleans made a profound impression. She has for many years been connected with Lucy Cobb College, in Athens, Ga.

LARGE CLASS IN SPANISH IS ORGANIZED AT HIGH SCHOL

Thirty Students Enroll in Subject, Offered Here For First Time.

Instruction in Spanish is being offered in the Wilmington High School this year for the first time, and as there are already 30 pupils taking the commercial course, who have enrolled in the class which has been organized, should many more taking the literary courses elect it as an optional subject, it will be necessary to form an additional class or perhaps employ another teacher to meet the increased demand.

Spanish is now being taught in practically all the high schools in the larger cities of the State. The increased demand for the language is not confined to North Carolina, as it is taught in some 75 colleges and universities scattered throughout the country. In many of these colleges the number of students taking the subject have increased from 100 to 300 per cent within the past two years over those of previous years.

Several thousand National Guardsmen, who are taking courses offered by the Y. M. C. A., have enrolled as students of Spanish, and with them it is the favorite of all the courses offered by the association.

SENATOR W. B. COOPER ACCEPTS INVITATION TO BANQUET

Large Number of A. & M. Alumni Going to Carolina Beach Friday Night.

State Senator W. B. Cooper, a member of the board of trustees of the A. & M. College at Raleigh, has accepted an invitation to attend the annual meeting and banquet of the New Hanover alumni association, which will be held at the Graystone Inn at Carolina Beach, tomorrow night. More than 25 members of the association have already expressed their intention of going down for the meeting. They are requested to meet at the office of the president, Mr. J. L. Becton, in the Odd Fellows' building at 6:45 o'clock tomorrow evening. Machines will be provided to take them down.

Mr. Buxton White, alumni secretary of the college for the State, will arrive tomorrow afternoon to attend the meeting. He will make one of the principal addresses.

MR. CRANMER TO SPEAK

Nominee For State Senate to Make Address Tonight at Winter Park.

E. H. Cranmer, Esq., of Southport, Democratic nominee for the State Senate from New Hanover and Brunswick counties, will make an address at the school house at Winter Park tonight at 8 o'clock. Mr. Cranmer is an able speaker and his address is expected to attract a large crowd. He will be accompanied to Winter Park by a large delegation of enthusiastic Democrats from Wilmington.

A rousing rally of the Democrats of that section will be held and each and everyone will be enrolled under the Woodrow Wilson banner for peace and prosperity.

W. L. I. BANQUET TONIGHT.

Will be Given in Honor of Captains Bailey and Lynch.

The annual banquet of the Wilmington Light Infantry will be held in the armory tonight at 8 o'clock. This year it will be given in honor of the retiring commander, Captain E. P. Bailey, and his successor, Capt. J. B. Lynch. In addition to the members of the company and the Reserve Corps, representatives of the different civic and commercial bodies have been invited to attend.

MRS. J. A. BARNWELL DEAD.

Mother of Mrs. Curtis, of This City, Dies at Burlington.

News of the death at her home in Burlington, of Mrs. John A. Barnwell, mother of Mrs. G. W. Curtis, of this city, was received here yesterday in a telegram to Mr. Curtis. Mrs. Curtis has been at her mother's bedside for the past ten days. Mr. Curtis will leave this morning for Burlington, to attend the funeral.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

—Among the arrivals at the Hotel Wilmington yesterday were A. C. Johnson, Monroe; L. Brown McKoy, Charlotte; J. S. McDonald, Raleigh; W. B. Gibson, Statesville; L. B. Davis, Raleigh.

—Among the arrivals at the Orton yesterday were W. C. Via, Wadesboro; E. F. Elwell, Raleigh; John E. Fowler, Clinton; P. R. Smith, Elizabethtown; O. A. Hamilton, Raleigh; Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Boney and R. L. Carr, Rose Hill.

—Among the arrivals at The Imperial Hotel yesterday were: W. F. Sandlin, Councils; Max Mayers, Acme; Ellis Snyder, Charlotte; V. L. Simmons, Currie; W. F. Flynn, Currie; G. C. Smith, Greensboro.

LOCAL DOTS.

—The three marked cards given out by the Boys' Work Department of the Y. M. C. A. for the return of which a free membership ticket will be given, have not as yet been found. If not found by Friday night, they will be called in.

If you want peace and prosperity, help Wilson win with a contribution to the campaign fund.

If you believe in Wilson, show your appreciation by subscribing to the Wilson campaign fund.

CITY IS VISITED BY STORM

Broke Over This Section Early Yesterday Morning—Accompanied by Winds of Gale Force.

Although little or no damage was done by the storm which visited this section early yesterday morning, it was accompanied by strong northeast winds which blew with gale force at Wrightsville Beach and caused a higher tide of water than has been in evidence there in many weeks. The spray and foam from the waves which were watched from the Seashore Hotel pier by a number of persons who braved the weather to witness the unusual conditions splashed almost incessantly during the morning and afternoon over the pier.

Belated citizens who toil during the night instead of during the day were held up at their places of business more than an hour by the heavy rain and windstorm which broke over the city about 2 a. m.

The storm at the beach did not occasion much alarm as most of the persons who make their homes there during the summer had already moved up town. The exodus from the beach to the city has been going steadily on since September 1, what few were left probably changed their place of abode yesterday.

Late last night it was reported that the storm at the beach was practically over, and the high tide having reached its crest had begun to subside. In the city late at night it had dwindled to a mere drizzle. Very little, if any, rain is expected today, although the forecast of the local Weather Bureau says, "partly cloudy." Fair weather is promised for tomorrow. The rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 8 o'clock last night aggregated 1.01 inches.

RETAIL BUSINESS IN WILMINGTON IMPROVED

(Continued From Page Five.)

our business is increasing. It is a whole lot better than it was last year. There is an increased demand for the better class of goods and the people have more money, though I don't know where they are getting it."

Mr. I. Shrier, veteran clothing merchant, has found conditions to be much improved and that there is a bigger demand for clothing of the better grades. Men are willing to pay more for better goods and are evincing more of a desire to dress in accordance with the latest styles.

While Mr. E. E. David, of the A. David Company, had not compared figures, he was entirely satisfied with the outlook and believed that the outlook is entirely satisfactory. He has found that his business has more than kept its own.

While Mr. L. Lipinsky, manager of the Bon Marche, has been in Wilmington but a short time, he is an enthusiastic booster for the city and declares that with the great resources lying at her very door, Wilmington ought to become one of the most important cities in the South. As to the outlook, he believes it is all that can be desired and expressed himself as being here to help Wilmington grow. Trade has been good since the Bon Marche opened last Monday in spite of the rain and unfavorable weather.

"The demand among the women is for the higher priced grade of goods this year," declared Mr. S. Goodman, dealer in ladies' ready-to-wear goods, "and I find more of our people than ever before buying goods at home instead of sending away for them."

"There has been an increased demand for wholesale goods this season," said Mr. J. H. Rehder, of J. H. Rehder & Co., "while our retail business has been entirely satisfactory. Our collections are fair and a little above normal. Trade in some sections of the country is good while in others it has not been so good. There is room for improvement."

People Feeling Better.

"The people are feeling better and the present conditions indicate a general improvement over last year," said Mr. J. W. H. Fuchs, who also stated that his business is splendid with every indication of continuing so.

"Our business this season is much better than it was last year," declared Mr. D. C. Love, president of the C. W. Yates Company, booksellers and stationers. "Our sales for September were much larger than for the same month last year. The outlook is good and I think that business will continue to improve.

Mr. J. A. Northam, bookseller and stationer, has found his business much better than last year with increasing sales and every indication that the people have confidence in the future and what it will bring.

Other retail merchants in the clothing and ladies' goods expressed themselves as very optimistic over the general outlook. The general disposition to buy a better class of goods is indicative of a general improvement of conditions, they thought, and the outlook certainly is much improved.

More houses are now being built in Wilmington than has been the case for many months, while trading in real estate is more active than it has been in a long time.

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FUNERAL OF MR. ELI PARHAM

Father of Mr. J. A. Parham Buried at Old Home Church in Robeson.

Following the funeral of his father, Mr. Eli Parham, Tuesday afternoon, Mr. J. A. Parham, of The Star staff, returned yesterday afternoon from Lumberton, where he had been since early Monday morning. He was accompanied by Mrs. Parham, who went to Lumberton Tuesday morning.

The funeral was conducted by Rev. Charles L. Greaves, pastor of the First Baptist church of Lumberton, Tuesday afternoon at 3 o'clock, from the old Raft Swamp Baptist church, five miles northwest of Lumberton, of which deceased had been a deacon the last five years and a devout member 32 years, during which period he had made it a fixed rule of his life to attend all the services of his church, including the Sunday school. Near that church he spent most of his life since early manhood. In the presence of a large gathering of his neighbors and friends, augmented by quite a number who accompanied the family from Lumberton, the remains were laid to rest in the old church yard and the grave was banked with flowers, attesting in a measure the high esteem in which the deceased was held by those who had known him through many long years.

Mr. Parham died early Monday night at his home in Lumberton, where he had lived the last three years, during which time he had been in feeble health, which forced him to discontinue his life work as a farmer and remove to town to be with his son, Mr. W. L. Parham. For several weeks he had been seriously ill, and the end was not unexpected; nevertheless it brought a shock to his family and many friends.

—Dr. W. C. Mebane has moved his office from the Murchison National Bank building to the sixth floor of the Trust building.

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TAFT TO DELIVER AN ADDRESS IN RALEIGH

At Annual Meeting of Literary and Historical Society.

To Speak at University—Funeral of Late John C. Drewry—Women's Clubs Working for "Better Babies" Contest.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 4.—The North Carolina Literary and Historical Society, R. D. W. Connor, secretary, announces that former President William H. Taft will be the special speaker for the next annual session of the association in this city, the address to be delivered on the evening of December 7. Mr. Taft to go from Raleigh to Chapel Hill to deliver an address before the student body and faculty of the State University on the evening of December 8. The association will be in session December 6 and 7.

December 6th there will be the address by the president of the association, Dr. Howard E. Rondthaler, of Salem College; also Mr. Amea Brown, of Washington, D. C., journalist and magazine writer, will deliver an address on this date. The routine work of the association will be along lines such as discussions of present day problems like dealing with crime and criminals, extension of suffrage, party organizations and methods of nominating candidates, international problems, and the like. Some of the leaders of the discussions will be Dr. W. T. Laprade, Trinity College; W. S. Wilson, State Legislative Librarian; Thomas M. Pittman, Dr. W. W. Pierson, of the State University.

The association has upwards of 500 members and the attendance promises to be quite large. Numbers of delightful social features are to characterize the annual session this time.

The North Carolina Folk Lore Society is to meet as usual in conjunction with the Literary and Historical Society, Dr. D. H. Hill being the president of this society.

The Women's Clubs and other organizations are manifesting a lively interest in the "better babies" contest to be held this year in connection with the State Fair, the entries being invited to come from any and all sections of the State. The time limit for the entries is October 14, and, while there have already been quite a number of entries, there are not near as many as those interested in this matter would like to see. The Raleigh woman's club has issued an appeal to the women of the State that contains this significant paragraph:

"Did it ever occur to you that we are always striving for better things—better schools, better housekeeping, better farming, better crops and so on? But the most important crop has been overlooked—the babies. Now why not have better babies—bigger and better and stronger physically—from which is bound to spring a better crop of school children, better set of men and women and a far better class of citizens? It can be done, it is being done and we can do it."

Tribute Paid to Drewry.

Business was very generally suspended this morning between 11:30 and 12 o'clock as a mark of respect to the late John C. Drewry, grand secretary of the Grand Lodge of Masons and former president of the Raleigh chamber of commerce, his funeral having been in progress at that hour. The funeral service was held from Christ Episcopal church, of which Mr. Drewry was a vestryman, and was under the direction of the Grand Lodge of Masons, A. B. Andrews, Jr., grand master.

There was a very large attendance of officers and members of the Grand Lodge from every section of the State.

There was a session of the Grand Lodge from 10 o'clock to 11:30, during which there was official notice taken of the death of the grand secretary, who had served so long and so well in this important office. Members of the Grand Lodge, the local Masonic lodges and chamber of commerce and the Capital Club attended as a mark of respect for their late co-laborer. The floral tributes were exceptionally beautiful and numerous. The funeral cortege was one of the longest Raleigh has had in a great while. Rev. M. A. Barber, rector of Christ church, was in charge of the service at the church and he was assisted by numbers of other ministers of the city.

The honorary pall-bearers were John W. Cross, W. H. Williamson, R. Y. McPherson, Charles Roote, Claude Barbee, Joseph G. Brown, J. F. Ferrall, Grimes Cowper, W. B. Jones, Dr. Richard H. Lewis, Prof. W. C. Riddick, Prof. W. A. Withers and Capt. Jno. A. Duncan. The active pall-bearers were W. P. Little, A. M. Maupin, John Gattis, D. S. Hamilton, D. F. Betts, J. B. Green and R. T. Gowan.

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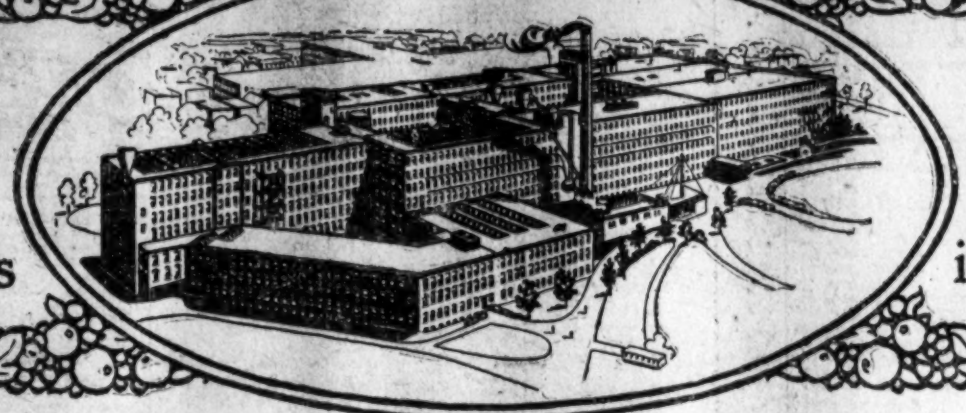

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WILSON HAPPENINGS.

Commissioners Buy Tractor—Union Station Discussed.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wilson, N. C., Oct. 4.—The board of county commissioners in session here yesterday purchased a large traction engine from the Good Roads Traction Company at a cost of $3,300. This traction engine has been in the county for several weeks and has undergone a thorough demonstration.

The town aldermen, the chamber of commerce and the Merchants' Association are to call a public meeting in the near future in the court house for the purpose of discussing the matter of a union station for Wilson. Mayor Killette is behind the matter and is very much interested in Wilson having a union station.

Abraham Watson, wanted in Wilmington for assaulting Malinda Blount, was located here yesterday by the city officers and arrested and lodged in the county jail awaiting the arrival of the Wilmington authorities.

Kansas City, Mo., Oct. 4.—Major William Warner, former United States Senator from Missouri, died at his home here this afternoon.

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Mail orders filled by Mildred Louise Co., Boston, Mass. 50c and $1.00 at druggists.

STATE JOURNAL CHARTERED.

Commissioner Graham Thinks State's Cotton Crop Will be 600,000 Bales.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 4.—Estimating the North Carolina cotton crop this season on the basis of the Federal ginners' report issued Monday, Commissioner of Agriculture W. A. Graham believes that the 1916 crop will pan out 600,000 bales. The latest ginners' report gives the State 80,275 bales. He is gratified that North Carolina, according to the report, still leads the real cotton growing states in amount produced to the acre. Those that show higher yield, he points out, are really not cotton growing states, but cultivate in patches rather than fields and as the main crop.

A charter was issued today for the State Journal (Inc.), of Raleigh, capital $50,000 authorized and $6,000 subscribed by Alex. J. Feild, L. R. Feild and F. T. Ward for the publication of The State Journal and conducting a general printing business.

WARNS GASOLINE USERS

Specific Gravity Not a Satisfactory Basis of Purchase.

Washington, October 4.—Gasoline users were warned today by Vann H. Manning, director of the bureau of mines, that specific gravity was not a satisfactory basis for the purchase of gasoline, and that tests with machines made within the last two years had shown less than two per cent difference in power between 74 gravity and 60 gravity. Mr. Manning was speaking before a meeting of Washington automobile men and merchants held in connection with a local inquiry into the price of gasoline. He reminded his hearers that it was estimated the country had only enough petroleum resources to last 27 to 30 years at the present rate of consumption and that automobile manufacturers figured on seeing more than three and a quarter million cars in use in the United States by the first of next year.

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MAN FROM ROCKY MOUNT ASPHYXIATED IN RICHMOND.

C. H. Hamlett Evidently Blew Out Gas in His Bed Room.

(Special Star Telegram.)

Richmond, Va., Oct. 4.—With every indication that he thoughtlessly blew out the gas before retiring last night, a young man supposed to be Cecil H. Hamlett, of R. F. D. No. 3, Rocky Mount, N. C., from papers in his pocket, was found dead this morning in a gas-filled room in a boarding house at 606 East Grace street. He called there soon after 10 o'clock last night and engaged a room.

Among his papers were several recommendations from tobacco firms in North Carolina commending him highly to anyone who might be desirous of employing a capable young man in that line of business.

In Hamlett's pocket was found $30.21. There was also a deposit book of the Planters' Bank, of Rocky Mount. Hamlett evidently had just come to Richmond from North Carolina in quest of a position.

Wilson, N. C., Oct. 4.—Quite a lovely wedding was solemnized yesterday in the Methodist church at Snow Hill, the parties thereto being Miss Evelyn Hooten and Mr. William Welfare, both of this city. The church was crowded with a large number of friends. Several Wilson people attended the wedding. The couple left after the ceremonies on a several weeks' trip north. They will be at home on or about October 10th at Wilson.

How the British Armored "Tanks" Straddle Trenches

A typical section of the Somme front, where the fighting has now been going on since July 1. It is over such ground that the British armored tanks have been operating.

THEATRICAL

You no doubt remember the great sensation created when Sessue Hayakawa appeared with Fannie Ward in "The Cheat" some months ago. It was pronounced one of the very greatest Paramount features ever presented in the Royal Theatre and many requests for a return date have been received. You also remember some two months ago when Sessie Hayakawa appeared with Tsuru Aoki, that dainty little Japanese maiden, in another great Paramount triumph, "Alien Souls," It also created a mild sensation.

Well, the Grand presents today the very latest Paramount triumph starring these two brilliant Japanese stars, a marvelous Lasky-Paramount filmization of "The Honorable Friend," in a role that will linger rong in the memory of photoplay audiences.

Sessue Hayakawa has introduced a new personality to the screen, and in "The Honorable Friend" he contributes one of the most unusual characterizations ever witnessed by the photoplay public.

In "The Honorable Friend," Hayakawa is seen as a young Japanese gardener working for a wealthy and unscrupulous Japanese curio dealer. The old man is desirous of a bride and sends Hayakawa's picture, as his own, to Japan, and Hayakawa is sent to the dock to marry the Japanese girl, having been told that she is to be his own wife. When he brings her before the wealthy old curio dealer, his ideals are shattered as he is informed that she is to be taken away from him. How affairs are finally adjusted, and the dishonorable curio dealer receives his just deserts, and the two lovers are reunited, is presented in an unusual and most dramatic manner.

Rare Treat at Bijou.

It is a rare treat in store for patrons of the Bijou today. The great bill of General Film features presented yesterday made a distinct hit. The Bijou management has just this week become placed in such a position that they can absolutely pick the features they want and not have to buy a single picture which they do not know is good. This should be appreciated by the patrons of the Bijou, as they are now getting a personally picked programme of pictures every day in the week.

Today's big feature is a startling three-act Knickerbocker Star Feature, "A Lesson from Life," starring that illustrious star of the Broadway stage, Marie Empress, in the leading role, supported by a notable cast including Frank Mayo and Reaves Eason.

"A Lesson from Life," is a vividly unusual photoplay, a tale of intrigue and false trust, which fortunately in the end is revealed to the unsuspecting ones. It features Marie Empress in one of her strongest emotional roles, and will furnish Bijou patrons three-quarters of an hour of unalloyed enjoyment.

Another treat is a great Vitagraph comedy feature, "When Two Play a Game," starring those two great photoplay favorites, Mr. and Mrs. Sidney Drew in the leading roles.

Surprise at Victoria.

Quite a surprise was sprung on the Victoria crowds yesterday when the curtain went up on a real, genuine minstrel show, presented by the American Girls Company, the all-star aggregation that is packing 'em in there this week. It demonstrated more than anything else the great versatility of the American Girl Company, and that they carried off the three-act production in great style is much to their credit.

Scottie Freidell and Ray Lewis as end men acquitted themselves with much applause and kept the house in a constant uproar, while Miss Lillian Ziegler as interlocutor did the job in a manner that should be the envy of even Al Fields and his bright understudies. The rapid fire comedy talk was all new and brought many hearty laughs from the crowd, while the musical numbers, especially "Quaker Tom" and Elsie Ziegler, "He May Be Old," by Ray Lewis, and "Where Did Robinson Cruso Go?" by Scottie Freidell, were the big hits of the show. Olio numbers included a nifty clog dancing specialty by Miss Lillian Root and another great specialty hit by those prime comedy stars, Lewis and Root.

And "Old Time Afterpiece," was another hit of the show with Lewis and Root in blackface comedy roles, during which Pauline Glenmar, that superb dancing artiste, presented a new singing and dancing specialty that was great. "They Call It Dixieland," always a big favorite, was put over in great style by Lillian Ziegler and quintette from the chorus.

If you want to see a real tabloid minstrel show, with many big laughs, don't fail to see this show, presented for the last times today.

Big Bill at Royal.

The biggest bunch of entertainment that you ever got for ten cents is today's promise to Royal patrons. To begin with, the ninth great chapter of "Gloria's Romance" starring that enchanting stage personality, Billie Burke, is the most interesting chapter yet.

Dr. Royce introduces some new factors that awaken renewed interest in this great serial, and the action all the way through is swift and tense. There is some double exposure work right near the end of this chapter which is almost uncanny in its realism. In a dinner scene, to show how Gloria's mind is constantly reverting to her dead lover, Freneau first appears at her right hand and then at her left, as she criticises herself for lack of loyalty to his memory, after her father has persuaded her to cast off the mourning she has been wearing for him.

While nothing is meant against "Gloria's Romance," it must be said that the real big feature of the day is that five-act super drama from the George Kleine studios, "The Money Master," one of the very strongest dramatic offerings. The cast is headed by Frank Sheridan, as the money king; Calvin Thomas, juvenile lead with Irene Fenwick in "The Song of Songs"; Anne Meredith, one of the best known leading women on Broadway; Fania Marinoff, a stage and screen star with an international reputation, also Adam Reed and Malcolm Duncan.

"The Money Master," is a tense story of New York's East Side—of its misery and squalor and filth—of Wall Street and its guiding genius, a tale of sharp contrasts with an underlying heart appeal as powerful as it is dramatic.

TSURU AOKI

Dainty Japanese Actress Appearing With Sessue Hayakawa, the Brilliant Nipponese Actor, in "The Honorable Friend," a Paramount Picture at the Grand Today.

BILLIE BURKE

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Two Noted Lecturers on Programme For Collegiate Year.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Wake Forest, N. C., Oct. 4.—Dr. Weston Bruner, head of the department of Evangelism in the Southern Baptist Convention, of Atlanta, Ga., delivered a strong and forceful address before the Young Men's Christian Association at the regular monthly meeting. He spoke on preparedness, not in a political sense, as it relates to our nation and the kingdom of God.

Dr. Shailer Matthews, dean of the Divinity School in the University of Chicago, and Dr. William Lyon Phelps, professor of English in Yale University, appear on the programme of lectures announced for the collegiate year by Dr. W. R. Cullom, chairman of the committee on lectures. The first o fa series of lectures will be given this week in the appearance of the Original Strollers Quartet.

TO RAISE PRICE OF MILK

Dairymen at Kinston to Increase Price From 10 to 12 Cents.

Kinston, N. C., Oct. 4.—The babies and cats of Kinston have a howl coming to them, with the announcement by dairymen today that on November 1 the price of milk will increase from 10 to 12 cents. "It's only natural; the prices of all other commodities are increasing," say the dairy managers. "We work from 3 a. m. to late in the evening and see our profits go a-glimmering with the rise in the cost of cottonseed meal, which product has doubled in market value, and practically everything else. Cows have jumped in value and it takes about $60 to purchase a respectable animal." No step toward an investigation or a protest is contemplated by the authorities or any civic organization.

KINSTON BORROWS $200,000

Present Indebtedness of the City to Be Retired.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Kinston, N. C., Oct. 4.—The local city council have borrowed $200,000 from Toledo, Ohio, bond brokers with which to retire present indebtedness, and received an offer of par and expenses for a bond issue of between $425,000 and $500,000 to cover municipal improvements. The latter offer was not accepted. The council may demand par, accrued interest and expenses for the issue, which is to be issued before the end of the year, probably. The bonds will pay for paving, electric light and sewerage extensions.

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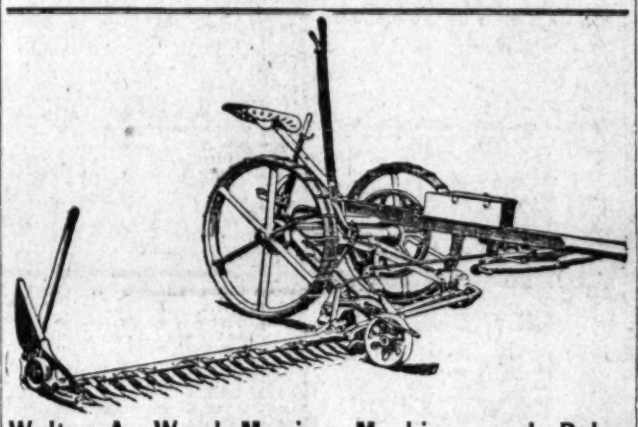

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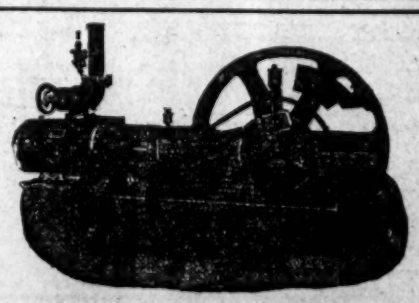

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL

BIG ADVANCE IN COTTON

Market Closes Strong at Net Gain of 31 to 37 Points—Some Futures Well Beyond 17 Cents.

New York, Oct. 4.—Early irregularity was followed by a very sharp advance in the cotton market today, with prices making new high records in the late trading. January deliveries sold up from 16.84 to 17.18, or 52 points above the low level of yesterday and the market closed strong at a net advance of 31 to 37 points.

The opening was barely steady at an advance of 3 to 16 points, with scattered southern and local selling and realizing prices eased off to within 4 or 5 points of last night close right after the call. Offerings were very well absorbed below 16.90 for January, however, while the selling became a little less active after the close of Liverpool and prices here turned firmer during the middle of the morning.

Stop orders were uncovered when January contracts sold up to 17.05 or 25 points net higher, after which there were setbacks of several points from the best under realizing. The market soon turned firmer again and made new high ground for the day and season in the late trading when December sold at 17.14, March at 17.36 and May 17.50, or 35 to 39 points net higher. Closing prices were 2 or 3 points off from the best under realizing.

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
October	16.56	16.68	16.54	16.62
December	16.85	17.14	16.80	17.10
January	17.00	17.18	16.84	17.16
March	17.10	17.35	17.01	17.34
May	17.25	17.50	17.17	17.48
July	17.29	....	....	....

Spot quiet; middling uplands 16.80; no sales.

THE PORT MOVEMENT.

New Orleans—Middling, 16.13; receipts, 12,720; sales, 5,135; stock, 197,288.

Galveston—Middling, 16.35; receipts, 28,198; exports, 9,522; sales, 4,425; stock, 279,187.

Mobile—Middling, 16.12; receipts, 987; sales, 30; stock, 12,231.

Savannah—Middling, 16.38; receipts, 6,404; sales 3,404; stock, 161,261.

Charleston—Middling, 16¼; receipts, 1,681; stock, 50,793.

Wilmington—Middling, 16¼; receipts, 1,301; stock, 40,360.

Texas City—Receipts, 3,809.

Norfolk — Middling, 16.25; receipts, 3,201; sales, 1,111; stock, 37,299.

Baltimore—Exports 945; stock, 3,956.

Boston — Middling, 16.70; receipts, 36; exports, 179; stock, 5,000.

Philadelphia — Middling, 17.05; receipts, 91; stock, 3,795.

New York—Middling, 16.80; exports, 1,450; stock, 80,261.

Minor Ports—Stock, 34,896.

Total today—Receipts, 60,278; exports, 14,098; stock 976,377.

Total for week—Receipts, 235,992; exports, 126,660.

Total for season—Receipts, 1,500,787; exports, 940,840.

Interior Movement.

Houston — Middling, 16.25; receipts, 23,436; shipments, 16,734; sales, 13,653; stock 177,838.

Memphis — Middling, 16.25; receipts, 5,511; shipments, 2,012; sales, 7,500; stock, 126,712.

Augusta — Middling, 16.50; receipts, 7,822; shipments, 1,418; sales, 2,936; stock, 106,296.

St. Louis—Receipts, 7 723; shipments, 8,602; stock, 7,531.

Cincinnati—Receipts, 179; shipments, 25; stock, 12,892.

Little Rock—Middling, 16.13; receipts, 1,666; shipments, 1,543; sales, 1,548; stock, 34,862.

Dallas—Middling, 15.70; sales, 13 - 860.

Montgomery—Middling, 16.31; sales, 705.

Total today—Receipts, 46,328; shipments, 28,334; stock, 465,631.

LIVERPOOL COTTON MARKET.

Liverpool, October 4. — Cotton, spot, steady. Good middling, 9.89; middling, 9.75; low middling, 9.59; sales, 10,000; 1,000 for speculation and export. Receipts, 32,000. Futures, very steady. October, 9.70½; October-November, 9.68½; November-December, 9.69; December-January, 9.70; January-February, 9.72½; February-March, 9.73; March-April, 9.75½; April-May, 9.77; May-June, 9.78½; June-July, 9.76½; July-August, 9.74½; August-September, 9.58; September-October, nominal; October-November, nominal.

DRY GOODS MARKET.

New York, October 5. — The primary cotton goods market was very firm today. Fine numbers of worsted yarns were in good demand. Cotton yarns were steady. Burlaps, quiet.

NEW ORLEANS COTTON.

New High Levels for Season Reached. Gain 25 to 27 Points.

New Orleans, Oct. 4.—New high levels for the season were reached in cotton here today on a quiet market, which was characterized by many downward movements, under realizing sales from holders of long contracts. The strongest period was during the last half hour of business when brokers were unable to meet the demand and prices shot upward from a net advance of about 5 points to a net advance of 25 to 29 points. This buying was encouraged by the soft spot and had its basis in the increased export movement, the wirespread spot demand over the South and fear of unfavorable weather. The close was firm at a net gain of 25 to 27 points. In the early trading prices rose 11 to 14 points on good cables and the government statistics showed increased consumption of cotton by manufacturers of explosives.

Expectations of bullish weekly crop and weather reports increased the demand and the rise was widened to 18 to 24 points by noon. The official statement that recently frosts had done no harm and the tone of the weakly reports received in considerable liquidation in the early afternoon and there was a gradual sag until active months were only one to five points over yesterday's close. The market hung at this level for a while, but suddenly firmed up and assumed an advancing tendency which was maintained to the close.

Closing bid: October 16.35; December 16.54; January 16.68; March 6.90; May 17.11.

Spot cotton steady, 13 points up, sales on the spot 1,515 bales; to arrive 3,220 bales; middling 16.13.

ANOTHER BIG GAIN IN WHEAT

Export Buying and Crop Conditions in Argentina Help to Elevate the Market—Strong Close.

Chicago, October 4. — Export buying, which was said to be on a large scale, helped to elevate the wheat market today to new high record prices for 1916, and so, too, did denials of rumors that rain had fallen in Argentina. The close was strong at ⅝@⅞ to 1⅜c. net advance, with December at 1.59½@1.59⅝, and May at 1.58½. Corn gained ⅛ to ⅜@⅝; oats, ⅛ and provisions 17 to 1.62.

Close:

Wheat—December, 1.59½; May, 1.58½.

Corn—December, 75⅝; May, 77⅛.

Oats—December, 49; May, 51⅝.

Pork — December, 22.50; January, 22.67.

Lard — December, 13.77; January, 13.35.

Ribs—October, 13.97; January, 12.35.

Cash grain:

Wheat—No. 2, red, 1.60⅝; No. 3, red, 1.51@1.58⅝; No. 2 hard, 1.63@1.67⅝; No. 3, hard, 1.54⅞@1.60⅝.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, 89½@89⅝; No. 4, yellow, 86⅝@87; No. 4, white, 87@87½.

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WILMINGTON MARKETS.

(Quoted Daily by the Wilmington Chamber of Commerce.)

STAR OFFICE, Oct. 4.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—42½c.

ROSIN—$5.45, $5.20.

TAR—$2.60-10½.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Nominal.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine, 37½c; rosin, $3.00 and $3.05; tar, $1.50-7c; crude turpentine, $3.00, $3.00, $2.00.

RECEIPTS:

Spirits Turpentine	6
Rosin	40
Tar	20
Crude Turpentine	(—)

Receipts same day last year: Spirits turpentine 13 casks; rosin, 102 barrels; tar, 92 barrels; crude turpentine, 2 barrels.

COTTON MARKET.

Market—16¼c.; quotations same day last year, 11¾c.

Receipts—1,301 bales; same day last year, 2,372 bales.

Total receipts since August 1 to date, 35,500 bales.

Total receipts to same date last year, 60,076 bales.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Cotton and Naval Stores at This Port Yesterday.

Atlantic Coast Line — Cotton, 1,203 bales; spirits turpentine, 2 casks; rosin, 13 barrels; tar, 20 barrels.

Seaboard Air Line—Cotton, 98 bales.

Str. Whitlock—Spirits turpentine, 2 casks; rosin, 28 barrels.

Total — Cotton, 13.01 bales; spirits turpentine, 6 barrels; rosin, 40 barrels; tar, 20 barrels.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

(Quoted by W. J. Meredith, Oct. 4.)

SWEET POTATOES—Yams, new, 60c. to 65c. bushel.

IRISH POTATOES—$1.15 to $1.25.

CORN—$1.90 to $1.95 per sack.

BEEF—Native dressed, 9c. to 10c.

PORK—Small, 10c. to 12c. per pound.

WOOL—Burry, 20c to 35c.; first class washed wool, 25c. to 28c.; highest grade, washed wool, 35c.

SHEEP—Old, good quality, gross, 2 1-2 to 3c pound. Lambs, best quality, 6 to 7c pound.

HIDES—Green salt, 15c.

NORTH CAROLINA BACON — Old hams, 22c to 23c.; sides and shoulders, 18c. to 19c. per lb.; good demand.

BEESWAX — Firm, 28c. per pound; good demand.

POULTRY—Chickens, grown, 45c to 50c.; spring, 20c. to 35c. head.

EGGS—28c. to 30c. dozen.

WILMINGTON PEANUT MARKET.

(Quoted by J. S. Funchess & Co.)

Wilmington, Oct. 4.—North Carolina Peanuts—Market weaker. Fancy hand-picked, 56c.; No. 1 machine picked, 50c. per bushel.

Virginia Peanuts—Market, steady. Jumbos, 60c; fancy hand picked, 55c; No. 1, machine picked, 50c per bushel.

Spanish Peanuts — Market weaker; No. 1, small, machine picked, 65c.; Jumbos, 60c. per bushel.

PETERSBURG PEANUT MARKET.

(Reported by Rodgers, Plummer & Co., Inc.)

Petersburg, Va., Oct. 4.—Spanish—Market steady, $1 per bu.

Virginia—Farmers' Stock, market steady. Fancy Jumbo, 3¼c. per lb.; Fancy Handpicked, 3¼c per lb.; Extra Prime, 3c per lb.; Prime, 2¾c per lb.; Shelling stock, 2¼c. to 2½c. per lb.

COTTON SEED OIL.

New York, October 4. — The big advance in lard caused excitement in the cotton seed oil market today, prices advancing sharply on heavy commission house and Southern buying and room covering. It was understood that crude sold as high as 9.50, but offerings were light, even at this level. Final prices were 8 to 17 points higher. Close, strong. Spot, 10.95; October, 10.90@11.00; November, 10.58@10.61; December, 10.54@10.55; January, 10.54@10.55; February, 10.61@10.62; March, 10.74@10.75; April, 10.77@10.85; May, 10.87@10.89; sales, 49,700.

NEW YORK LIVE STOCK.

New York, Oct. 4. — Beeves, steady. Steers, 4.50@9.40; bulls, 5.00@6.50; extra dry-fed, 7.00@7.50; cows, 3.00@8.50. Calves, steady; veals, 9.00@14.00; culls, 7.00@8.50; fed, 6.50@8.00; grassers, 5.00@6.00; yearlings, 4.50@5.00.

Sheep and Lambs — Steady. Sheep, 4.50@7.00; culls, 3.00@4.00; lambs, 9.00@11.00; culls 7.00@8.50.

Hogs—Weak. Light to heavy, 9.25@10.00; rough, 8.75@9.00.

THE WEATHER.

United States Department of Agriculture—Weather Bureau.

October 5, 1916.

Meteorological data for the day ending at 8 P. M., yesterday:

Temperature at 8 A. M., 67 degrees; at 8 P. M., 72 degrees; maximum, 75 degrees; minimum, 64 degrees; mean, 70 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, 1.01 inch; rainfall for the month, to date, 1.07 inch.

Stage of water in Cape Fear river at Fayetteville, at 8 A. M., yesterday 1.8 feet.

THE WEATHER.

For North Carolina—Partly cloudy Thursday; Friday fair.

The Port Calendar, Oct. 5, 1916.

Sun rises	6:10 A. M.
Sun sets	6:51 P. M.
Day's length	11 hrs. 41 min.

THE TIDES.

	High water. A.M.	P.M.	Low water. A.M.	P.M.
Wilmington	3:53	4:51	11:29	12:00
Southport	1:34	2:22	8:07	9:01
Masonboro Inl	:23	2:11	7:47	8:41

WEATHER BUREAU REPORTS

October 4, 1916.

STATIONS:	Weather at 8 P. M.	Temperature: Highest today.	Lowest Last night.	Precipitation at 8 P. M.
Abilene	clear	88	68	.0
Asheville	rain	68	42	.0
Atlanta	cldy	74	56	.0
Augusta	cldy	70	60	.0
Baltimore	clear	70	..	.0
Birmingham	clear	84	50	.0
Boston	clear	78	54	.0
Charleston	rain	74	62	1.06
Charlotte	rain	66	52	.0
Chicago	clear	82	58	.0
Galveston	clear	80	74	.0
Jaxville	cldy	66	60	.14
Memphis	clear	80	54	.0
Mobile	cldy	82	56	.0
Montgomery	cldy	82	54	.0
N. Orleans	clear	82	64	.0
New York	clear	70	60	.0
Oklahoma	clear	88	64	.0
Palestine	clear	88	64	.0
Pittsburg	clear	78	44	.0
Raleigh	cldy	68	58	.06
Savannah	pt cldy	72	60	.72
Shreveport	clear	86	58	.0
St. Louis	clear	82	58	.0
Washington	cldy	74	54	.0

NEW YORK STOCK LIST.

Allis-Chalmers	26½
American Beet Sugar	98
American Can	65¼
American Car and Foundry	71¼
American Cotton Oil	54⅝
American Locomotive	83
American Smelting	112⅝
American Sugar	113¼
American Tel. and Tel	123
American Tobacco	232
American Zinc	42½
Anaconda Copper	96¾
Atchison	103½
Atlantic Coast Line	120½
Baldwin Locomotive	90⅞
Baltimore and Ohio	90⅞
Bethlehem Steel	560
Canadian Pacific	131⅛
Central Leather	75½
Chesapeake and Ohio	68⅝
Chicago, Mil. and St. Paul	97⅞
Chicago, R. I. and Pac. Ry	19⅞
Consolidated Gas	139½
Corn Products	17⅝
Crucible Steel	94¼
Erie	41⅝
General Electric	180½
Great Northern, pfd	120¼
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	45
Goodrich	75
Illinois Central	109½
Int. Mer. Marine, pfd., ctfs	121¼
Kansas City Southern	27
Lehigh Valley	84⅝
Louisville and Nashville	136½
Liggett and Meyers	B.270
Gulf States Steel	93
Gulf States Steel, 2nd pfd	99½
Lorillard Co	B.200
Maxwell Motors	93¾
Missouri, Kansas and Texas, pfd.	B. 12
Missouri Pacific	5⅛
Mexican Petroleum	112
National Lead	70½
New York Central	113¼
N. Y. N. H. and Hartford	61⅞
Norfolk and Western	144⅝
Northern Pacific	115
Pennsylvania	59⅝
Reading	118
Rep. Iron and Steel	80⅝
Seaboard Air Line	16
Seaboard Air Line, pfd	39⅝
Sloss-Sheffield Steel and Iron	63¼
Studebaker Corp	133⅛
Southern Pacific	102⅞
Southern Railway	26¼
Southern Railway, pfd	69⅝
Tennessee Copper	23⅛
Texas Co	221
Texas and Pacific	B. 12¼
Union Pacific	151⅞
United Fruit	162½
United States Rubber	60⅜
United States Steel	117⅝
United States Steel, pfd	121
Utah Copper	95
Virginia-Caro. Chem	42½
Va. Iron, Coal and Coke	47
Wabash, pfd., "B"	29⅝
Western Union	100
Westinghouse Electric	64¼
Kennecott Copper	55¼
American Zinc, pfd	75

THE FINANCIAL MARKET.

New York, October 4. — Mercantile paper, 3¼; sterling, sixty day bills, 4.71½; demand, 4.75 11-16; cables, 4.76 7-16. Bar silver, 65¾; Mexican dollars, 52¾. Government bonds steady. Railroad bonds, strong. Time loans, steady. Sixty days, 2¾@3; ninety days, 3@3¼; six months, 3¼@3½. Call money, steady; ruling rate, 2¾.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

Chicago, October 4. — Hogs — Strong to 5 cents above yesterday's average. Bulk, 8.80@9.40; light, 9.75@9.55; mixed, 8.60@9.65; heavy 8.50@9.55; rough, 8.50@8.70; pigs, 6.00@8.85.

Cattle—Firm. Native beef cattle, 6.60@11.35; western steers, 6.15@9.40; stockers, 4.75@7.75; cows and heifers, 3.50@9.40; calves, 8.00@12.50.

Sheep—Firm. Wethers, 6.50@8.35; ewes, 3.65@7.60; lambs, 6.75@10.25.

SAVANNAH NAVAL STORES.

Savannah, October 4. — Turpentine, firm, 43¼; sales, 299; receipts, 283; stock, 22,762.

Rosin — Firm. Sales, 1,223; receipts, 1,075; shipments, 155; stock 84,453. Quote: A, B, 5.87½@6.00; C, D, 5.90@6.00; E, 6.05; F, G, H, I, K, 6.20; M, 6.20@6.25; N, 6.30; W G, 6.45; W W, 6.50@6.55.

NEW YORK PROVISIONS.

New York, October 4. — Sugar—Raw, steady; centrifugal 6.03; molasses, 5.12; refined, steady.

Coffee—Spot, quiet. Rio, No. 7, 9½; Santos, No. 4, 11¼.

SCHOELEN THE NEW GERMAN DEPUTY MINISTER OF WAR

Berlin, October 4 (by wireless to Sayville).—Lieutenant General Von Schoelen has been appointed deputy minister of war, succeeding Lieutenant General Von Wandel, who resigned recently because of poor health.

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NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE.

Under and by virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage executed by Bernice C. Moore to Co-Operative Building and Loan Association, which said mortgage is recorded in Book 98, at page 223 of the records of New Hanover County, default having been made in the principal and interest therein, the undersigned will expose for sale on Monday, the thirtieth (30th) day of October, 1916, at twelve o'clock, noon, at the Court House door in New Hanover county, by public auction, for cash, to the highest bidder, the following described tracts or parcels of land, situate and being in the City of Wilmington, North Carolina, to-wit:

First Tract: Beginning at a point in the eastern line of James street sixty (60) feet south of the southern line of Howard street, and running thence southwardly thirty (30) feet along the line of James street; thence eastwardly parallel with Howard street sixty (60) feet; thence northwardly parallel with James street thirty (30) feet; thence westwardly parallel with Howard street sixty (60) feet to the beginning, being part of lots 1 and 2, in Block 347, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

Second Tract: Beginning in the western line of Fifth street at a point sixty (60) feet south of the southern line of Howard street and running thence westwardly ninety (90) feet; thence southwardly parallel with James street thirty (30) feet; thence westwardly parallel with Howard street sixty (60) feet to the eastern line of James street; thence southwardly along said western line of James street thirty (30) feet; thence eastwardly one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the western line of Fifth street sixty-six (66) feet to the beginning same being part of lots 1 and 2, in Block 347, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

Third Tract: Beginning at a point in the western line of Ninth street forty-five (45) feet north of the northern line of Swann street and running thence northwardly forty-five (45) feet; thence westwardly parallel with Swann street one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the eastern line of Brooklyn street; thence southwardly along eastern line of Brooklyn street forty-five (45) feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Swann street one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the point of beginning, being part of lots 4 and 5, in Block 327, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

Fourth Tract: Beginning at a point in the western line of Ninth street one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet north of the northern line of Swann street, and running thence northwardly thirty (30) feet; thence westwardly parallel with Swann street one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the eastern line of Brooklyn street; thence southwardly along the line of Brooklyn street thirty (30) feet; thence westwardly parallel with Swann street one hundred and fifty (150) feet to the point of beginning, same being part of lots 3 and 4, in Block 327, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

Fifth Tract: Beginning at a point in the eastern line of Brooklyn street one hundred and twenty (120) feet south from the southern line of Nixon street, and running thence southwardly along said line of Brooklyn street fifty (50) feet; thence eastwardly and parallel with Nixon street sixty (60) feet; thence northwardly and parallel with Brooklyn street fifty (50) feet; thence westwardly parallel with Nixon street sixty (60) feet to the point of beginning, in the line of Brooklyn street, being part of lots 2 and 3, in Block 327, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

Sixth Tract: Beginning at a point in the western line of Schaffer's Alley one hundred and thirty-two (132) feet southwardly from the southern line of Harnett street, running thence southwardly along Schaffer's alley thirty-three (33) feet; thence westwardly parallel with Harnett street seventy-five (75) feet; thence northwardly parallel with Schaffer's alley thirty-three (33) feet; thence eastwardly parallel with Harnett street seventy-five (75) feet to the point of beginning, being part of lot 3, in Block 297, according to the official plan of the City of Wilmington.

Dated at Wilmington, N. C., the 26th day of September, 1916.

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SOUTHERN RAILWAY.

Effective Monday, September 11th, 1916, Southern Railway announces the present Winston-Salem-Beaufort-Morehead City Pullman Sleeping Car line will be shortened to Winston-Salem-Goldsboro. Pullman Sleeping Car line. This car will leave Winston-Salem at 8:50 P. M. same as at present, and arrive Goldsboro following morning, returning car will leave Goldsboro 10:35 P. M., arriving Winston-Salem following morning.

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Leave Goldsboro ..... 5:00 P. M.
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Arrivals and Departures of Trains at Wilmington, Effective Sept. 11, 1916. Time Not Guaranteed.

DEPARTURES	TO AND FROM	ARRIVALS:
No. 90 3:40 A.M. Daily except Sunday.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Eastern North Carolina points. Connects at Goldsboro with Southern Railway and Norfolk Soutnern Railroad.	No. 91 1:15 A.M. Daily except Monday.
No. 51 8:30 A.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Conway, Florence, Charleston, Savannah, Jacksonville, Tampa, St. Petersburg, Ft. Myers, Columbia and Asheville. Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Columbia open to receive outbound passengers at Wilmington at and after 10:00 P. M., and may be occupied, inbound, until 7:00 A. M.	No. 50 12:20 A.M. Daily.
No. 65 8:15 A.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.	Jacksonville, Newbern and Intermediate stations.	No. 65 6:15 P.M. Mon., Wed. and Fri. only.
No. 48 8:40 A.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk and Washington. Parlor cars between Wilmington and Norfolk, connecting at Rocky Mount with New York trains having Pullman service.	Daily No. 49 6:05 P.M.
No. 53 8:45 A.M. Daily.	Solid train between Wilmington and Mt. Airy, via Fayetteville and Sanford.	No. 53 8:00 P.M. Daily.
No. 62 8:25 P.M. Daily	Jacksonville, Newbern and intermediate stations.	No. 63 12:50 P.M. Daily
No. 55 3:45 P.M. Daily.	Chadbourn, Florence, Columbia, Augusta, Atlanta and the West. Charleston, Savannah and all Florida points. All Steel Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington, Augusta and Atlanta. Sleeping cars only between Florence and Columbia, which may be occupied at Columbia until 7:00 A. M.	No. 54 12:50 P.M. Daily.
No. 59 6:30 P.M. Tuesday, Thursday and Sat. only.	Fayetteville and Intermediate stations.	No. 60 10:15 A.M. Tuesday, Thursday and Sat. only.
No. 42 6:45 P.M. Daily.	Goldsboro, Richmond, Norfolk, Washington and New York. Pullman Broiler, Buffet Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Washington, connecting with New York trains, carrying dining cars; also Pullman Sleeping Cars between Wilmington and Norfolk.	No. 41 9:50 A.M. Daily.

For folders, reservations, rates of fares, etc., call 'phone 160.

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUBURBAN SCHEDULE

Effective September 5, 1916.

Lv. Wilmington	Leave Beach.
! 6.25 A. M.	! 6.05 A. M.
	* 6.40 "
6.55 "	! 7.10 "
! 7.25 "	7.40 "
! 8.00 "	! 8.15 "
8.30 "	! 8.45 "
10.00 "	9.15 "
11.30 "	10.45 "
1.10 P. M.	12.15 P. M.
x 1.30 "	1.50 "
2.00 "	x 2.15 "
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7.15 "	7.20 "
8.15 "	7.50 "
9.15 "	8.50 "
10.15 "	9.50 "
11.15 "	10.50 "
12.10 A. M.	11.50 "

! Daily, except Sunday.

* Sunday only.

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FREIGHT SCHEDULE.

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAYS

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Lv. Beach, 12:15 P. M., 5:15 P. M.

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SUNDAYS

Lv. Ninth and Orange Sts., 11:00 A. M.

Lv. Beach, 12:45 P. M.

Freight Office Open Sundays from 10:00 A. M. to 11:00 A. M.

SEABOARD AIR LINE RAILWAY

The Progressive Railway of the South. Effective May 28th, 1916.

DEPARTURE OF TRAINS FROM WILMINGTON:

No. 13—3:55 P. M.—Train for Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR, WILMINGTON TO CHARLOTTE.

No. 19—5:00 A. M.—Train for Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND CHARLOTTE. Open at 10:00 P. M., for Passengers.

ARRIVAL OF TRAINS AT WILMINGTON:

No. 14—12:40 P. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. PULLMAN PARLOR CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON.

No. 20—12:10 A. M.—Train from Charlotte and Intermediate Points. SLEEPING CAR BETWEEN CHARLOTTE AND WILMINGTON. PASSENGERS MAY REMAIN IN SLEEPER UNTIL 7:00 A. M.

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Bulletin of Round-Trip Fares in Effect from Wilmington:

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On sale Oct. 6, 7 and 8th, limited returning midnight, Oct. 20th.

CHATTANOOGA, TENN **$18.36**
On sale Oct. 17-18th, limited returning midnight, Oct. 23rd.

RALEIGH, N. C. **$4.85**
Includes one admission to fair grounds. On sale Oct. 14 to 21, inclusive; limited returning midnight Oct. 23rd.

CINCINNATI, OHIO **$20.56**
On sale Oct. 7, 8, 9, limited returning midnight, Oct. 16th.

SPRINGFIELD, MASS **$31.30**
On sale Oct. 12, 13, 14, 15; limited returning midnight, Oct. 25th.

ST. LOUIS, MO **$35.55**
On sale Oct. 9, 10, 11; limited returning midnight, Nov. 4th.

For further information, call 'Phone 178, City Ticket Office, Orton Hotel Building.

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Excursion Fares

FROM WILMINGTON OPEN TO THE PUBLIC.

$20.50—Cincinnati, Ohio.
Account Laundryman's National Association of America. Tickets will be sold October 7, 8 and 9, limited returning until Oct. 16.

$35.55—St. Louis, Mo.
Account Triennial General Convention, Protestant Episcopal Church. Tickets will be sold Oct. 9, 10 and 11, limited returning until Nov. 4.

$3.40—Goldsboro, N. C.
Account Wayne County Fair. Tickets will be sold Oct. 9 to 13 inclusive; limited returning until Oct. 15.

$31.30—Springfield, Mass.
Account National Dairy Association. Tickets will be sold Oct. 12, 13, 14 and 15, limited returning until Oct. 25.

$20.95—Jacksonville, Fla.

$21.45—State Camp, Fla.
Account the following important National events: Southern Rifle Association, October 11 and 12; National Rifle Association, October 13 to 19; National Rifle Practice, October 20 and 21; National Individual Rifle March, October 23; National Pistol Match, October 24; National Team Match, October 24 to 26. Tickets will be sold to Jacksonville and return September 16, 17, 18, 23, 24, 25, 30; October 1 and 2; and to State Camp and return, October 7, 8, 9, 14, 15 and 16. All tickets will be limited returning until November 4, 1916. **Reduced fares for parties of ten or more traveling together.**

$18.30—Chattanooga, Tenn.
Account Reunion of the Society of the Army of the Cumberland and Ohio Monument Association. Tickets will be sold Oct. 17 and 18, limited returning until October 23.

$4.85—Raleigh, N. C.
Account 56th N. C. State Fair. Tickets will be sold October 14 to 21, inclusive; limited returning until Oct. 23.

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K. B. JOHNSON OF WAKE WILL GO TO THE HOUSE

Supreme Court Settles Democratic County Contest.

Important Decision Handed Down in Long List of Opinions Filed by Higher Court Yesterday—Justice Hoke Dissents.

(Special Star Telegram)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 4.—The affirmation of the lower court in the Wake county case of K. B. Johnson vs. the Wake Democratic Board of Elections and B. H. Pate, involving right to have the name of Johnson on the official Democratic ballot for a seat in the lower house of the Legislature, was the most notable in a long list of opinions delivered by the Supreme Court, which holds that Johnson is the nominee whose name must be on the ticket for the November election.

Justice Hoke writes the opinion for the court and there is a dissenting opinion by Justice Brown, in which he insists that, there being no special North Carolina statute authorizing it, the courts have no right to pass upon such questions, but that they are purely matters for the boards of election of the party in which the differences arise.

In this case the county Democratic board of elections held that Pate was entitled to a second primary, although he did not demand one until after the time limit prescribed. In this they were sustained by the State Board of Elections, but the Supreme Court holds that the action of the State Board of Elections in the matter had no "controlling significance" and was not intended to have.

The court does not pass on the issue of whether Johnson received a nominating majority, but holds that he gets the nomination whether he did or not, through Pate's failure to demand the second primary in due time. Pate entered a second primary but Johnson declined to enter, relying on his appeal to the courts.

The ruling of the court assures Johnson the seat in the House so that he will represent what is popularly known as the Bailey wing of the party, and R. W. Winston, Jr., and Holding the Jones wing, while Wilbur Bunn gives the Jones wing leaway in the Senate.

The full list of opinions by the court follows:

Brown vs. Harding, motion to retax the costs denied; Canal Company vs. Whitley, Beaufort, affirmed; Hale vs. Atlantic Coast Line Railway, Edgecombe, reversed; Silver vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway, Halifax, first appeal affirmed, second dismissed; Holloman vs. Holloman, Hertford, affirmed; Lutterloh vs. Atlantic Coast Line Railway, Lee ,no error; Cross vs. Seaboard Air Line Railway, Lee, new trial; Chitty vs. Parker, Hertford, reversed; Pee vs. Bright, Lee, affirmed; Debruhl vs. Trust Company, Craven, no error; Dunn vs. Roper Lumber Company, Craven, no error; Myers vs. Norfolk Southern Railway, Craven, no error; In re will of Fleming, Pitt, affirmed; In re will of Staub, Craven, no error; Johnson and Stroud vs. Insurance Company, Pitt, new trial; Gold vs. Maxwell, Carteret, affirmed; Smith vs. Hancock, Carteret, no error; Chemical Company vs. Rogers, Pitt, no error; Rogers vs. Jones, Duplin, no error; Bizzell vs. Mutual Building and Loan Association, Lenoir, reversed; Hunter vs. West, Lenoir, no error; Johnson vs. Board of Elections and Pate, Wake, affirmed; Williams vs. Feild, Vance, affirmed; McCullin vs. Baer, Craven, affirmed; Elm City Lumber Company, vs. Norfolk Southern, Craven, affirmed; Morton vs. Norfolk Southern, Carteret, affirmed; Wheeler vs. Charlotte Consolidated Construction Co., Mecklenburg, petition to rehear dismissed; Snyder vs. Brown, motion to reinstate dismissed.

MORE CAREFUL HANDLING OF COTTON RAISES GRADES

Government Issues Suggestions For Making More Profit.

Washington, October 4.—Cotton growers now have one of the best opportunities of many years to profit by increased care in handling their cotton according to cotton growing and marketing specialists of the Department of Agriculture, which today issued suggestions for practices which will tend to raise cotton grades. Care in picking, assembling and handling seed cotton and ginning as well as in the handling of the bales, they point out, may result in raising the selling value of the fibre materially. This is true every year, they say, but during the present season, the restricted crop and limited supplies at the mills, coupled with the steady demand, have sent prices to high levels, making the increase in returns to the grower for each higher grade proportionately greater.

Ordinarily the matter of grades does not receive nearly enough attention, the specialists declare. As a result, farmers lose several million dollars annually. This loss would be proportionately greated under the high ruling prices this year if there were no improvement in handling practices. Careful handling and storing of cotton seed also pays.

TO KEEP CAVALRY HORSES.

North Carolina Troops to Have Thirty-Two Mounts Each.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Raleigh, N. C., Oct. 4.—Announcement is made at North Carolina National Guard headquarters to the effect that it is definitely settled now that when the two North Carolina troops of cavalry now in the Federal service on the Mexican border are mustered out of the service they will retain as many as 32 cavalry horses for each troop and these will be taken to their home stations and used for general drill purposes at the expense of the National government.

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SAY GODWIN DRAWS GROWDS FOR M'CASKILL

Some Cumberland Democrats Think Joint Canvass Mistake.

Congressional Candidates in Cumberland This Week—Hon. A. L. Brooks Delivers Interesting Address in Fayetteville.

(Special Star Correspondence.)

Fayetteville, N. C., Oct. 4.—Congressman H. L. Godwin and his Republican opponent, A. L. McCaskill, opened their Cumberland county joint canvass yesterday with speeches at Linden in the afternoon and Manchester at night. A good crowd heard the candidates at Linden, a majority being Democrats, but the disagreeable weather made the attendance at Manchester in the evening rather slim. At Linden the argument was along the same lines as those heretofore pursued in the canvass, though last night the time of each speaker was cut to 30 minutes. Good nature marked the speeches of the candidates on both occasions.

The congressional aspirants spoke again today at Currie's school house and tonight at Cumberland Mills.

Some time ago the Cumberland county Democratic executive committee appointed a central committee to arrange an itinerary for the county candidates and authorized them to accept a challenge for a joint canvass from the Republican candidates should such be made. Not having received a challenge from the opposition, the central committee has arranged a schedule of speaking dates for the Democratic candidates which will take them throughout the county. A bit of political gossip which the Democrats are rolling under their tongues just now is the story of how the Republican county candidates last Saturday went to Linden—where Messrs. Godwin and McCaskill had a good audience yesterday—and were greeted by absolutely empty benches. This also happened at Judson, where the Republican aspirants for the county offices were billed to appear a few days ago. They came, they saw, but were unheard by a single Judsonian.

Some Democrats are saying that Congressman Godwin made a mistake in accepting Mr. McCaskill's challenge for a series of joint debates, as he is furnishing McCaskill with the audiences which the latter could not get otherwise. Those two happenings in Cumberland, together with the fact that Mr. McCaskill was received by no audience whatever when he went alone to speak at Rowland, seem to bear out this contention. But Mr. Godwin is not doing any worrying, and seems to be very well satisfied with the results of the joint canvass so far.

Teddy and the Brindled Steer.

"At the Chicago stockyards there is a brindled steer," said A. L. Brooks, of Greensboro, in a powerful address to the voters of the First ward here last night. "This steer is trained to lead the country cattle which are brought there to be slaughtered to a certain place, where he suddenly turns aside and the unsuspecting cattle plunge into what Colonel Watterson would call 'an open grave.' This is the part that Theodore Roosevelt played when he led his trusting followers to Chicago, stepped aside, and watched his Progressive party plunge into the pit of political death. At the stockyards," he concluded, "the brindled steer is called Judas Iscariot."

This was the neat way in which Mr. Brooks disposed of Colonel Roosevelt and his espousal of the cause of Charles E. Hughes, much to the delight of his hearers. His points were well received throughout. It was a raw night and he was speaking against a protracted meeting nearby and four shows; therefore the crowd was not large. But the auditors made up in enthusiasm what they lacked in numbers. Mr. Brooks was introduced by Democratic County Chairman R. H. Dye as a man who had done as much for the Democracy as any man of his age in the State.

The Greensboro man said that he always liked to come to Fayetteville because the first political work he had ever done was in Major Stedman's candidacy for governor and he had never forgotten how loyal the men of Cumberland were in that fight.

THE INDISPENSABLE LEMON

No Other Fruit Can Compare With It in Variety of Uses.

(From the New York American.)

Whoever first gave vent to the phrase "ten miles from a lemon" created a classic line; for nothing could indeed be more tragic than to sigh in vain for a lemon and be denied it. For general utility the lemon is pre-eminant, and no fruit can compete with it in the number and variety of its uses.

There is nothing more effective in natural foods for toning the system and purifying the blood that this, the most positive of citrus fruits. Save for a few cases where a superfluity of acids is prohibited, the lemon may be prescribed freely, especially for cooling the blood and relieving or preventing a long list of ailments which take their rise in disorders of the liver.

Lemons plentifully and judiciously used will prevent malaria; and even typhoid, it is said, may be warded off by the timely use of lemons. Not only is the juice beneficial, but the rind as well.

In England every foreign-going ship is required by law to include in its supplies a sufficient number of lemons, so that every woman may have in his daily diet an allowance of one ounce of lemon juice after having been 10 days at sea, this to prevent the scurvy so prevalent among sailors.

And now the lemon cure is being taken by society women who desire the slim, svelte figures demanded by modern fashions. Copious draughts of hot lemonade are taken either without sugar or sweetened with a bit of saccharine, upon arising in the morning, in place of afternoon tea, and the last thing before retiring. It is said that this not only acts as a tonic, but makes onedelightfully thin.

Baked lemons for colds and flaxseed lemonade as used by New England grandmothers are well known. Many a diva threatened with hoarseness beats up the white of an egg with the juice of a lemon, with sugar or honey, fo ra quick and sure remedy. And for headache, a famous writer often takes the juice of a whole lemon squeezed in a cup of strong black coffee.

California and Florida both produce wonderful lemons, which in size and quality compare with any imported fro mthe tropics. The sweet lemons of Spain, which are eaten as freely as oranges in the southern part of Spain and in Morocco, where they also flourish, are delicious, indeed. In Italy, Southern France and Sicily the lemons attain an unusual size.

The famous housewives of old Salem, Mass., were expert in preparing their own lemon syrups, lemon tincture for flavoring, lemon preserves and lemon marmalade, which so delicious. The lemon rind preserves, which were kept in glass jars behind the leaded glass doors of the preserve closet, were brought out only upon vrry special occasions, as, for intance, when the minister came to tea. The egg lemonade, made with rare old sherry, which was a favorite in Salem a century ago, is still a favorite beverage of counoisseurs.

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PANAMA CANAL WORK

Competion of Balboa Dock Step in Important Work.

(From Waco, Texas, News).

The virtual completion of the new 1,000-foot drydock at Balboa, in conjunction with the shops and foundries there, and of the 485,000-ton coaling plant at Cristobal, are important steps in the militarization of the canal and making it an important naval base. The drydock and the coaling plant are now in operation, although further work is necessary to bring them to completion. They have both been used during the past week for commercial ships passing through the canal, and the navy cruiser Charleston, which has been stationed at the Atlantic entrance since the last German crisis, is now being overhauled and given extensive repairs in the drydock.

The drydock is 1,000 feet long by 110 feet wide, having the same dimensions as the chambers of the locks. It will accommodate the argest ships in the world, and even at this stage of completion has handled one vessel drawing 38 feet of water. It has a depth over the blocks of 35 feet at mean tide, or 45 feet at high tide. It is an integral part of the terminal shops and foundries. Together they can do practically any sort of ship repair work.

The new coaling plant at Cristobal, which has an emergency storage capacity of nearly 500,000 tons, which may be increased indefinitely in connection with land storage alongside the plant ,has been designed with especial regard to naval uses. Its ability to deliver 2,000 tons of coal an hour to a ship will make it theoretically possibe for a whole fleet to coal there in 24 hours for an extensive cruise. The plant is of a novel design, made with a view to just such an emergency.

STORM WARNINGS LOWERED.

Disturbance Moved Inland to Georgia With Decreased Force.

Washington, Oct. 4.—Reports to the Weather Bureau tonight showed that the South Atlantic disturbance has moved inland to southern Georgia with decreased intensity and the storm warnings which have been displayed from Norfolk to Savannah have been lowered.

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WANTED — MAN WITH SMALL FAMILY to take charge of a small hog and poultry farm. Call quick, at 409 Wright street. oc5-1t

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OUR 'PHONE NUMBER IS 327. TALK anything you want to: Love, politics, or the weather, or signs. Some one either our Mr. DeVere or our Mr. Board, or Mr. Satchwell, or the office boy, will answer. 'Phone 327. Southern Sign Shop, opposite Court House. oc5-th,su-tf

WANTED—REFINED LADY DESIRES position in city. Would consider a place in ladies' furnishing store, fitting and altering; cashier; or companion to nice lady. Reasonable salary expected. "L. M. B.," care Star. oc5-1t*

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A FEW SHARES OF BUILDING AND Loan every six months means independence, as you advance in age. Why not start NOW? 25c. per week, each share, will net you $100.00 at maturity. New series, Saturday, Oct. 7th. Wilmington Homestead and Loan Association. Headquarters at Bunting's. oc4-2w

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MECHANICS' HOME ASSOCIATION opens new series H. and L. stock twice a year, July and January; and offers stock for sale in one series till the next series opens. 52 series have already been opened. "The Mechanics" is 27 years old, and it is strong. Walker Taylor, president; W. M. Cumming, Secretary. Office, 208 Princess street. oc4-4t-w th,f,sa

OWN YOUR LOT AND WE WILL LEND you the money to build a house with, but you've got to be a stockholder. Take 5 10 or 20 shares Now, so when you want the money to build you can get it. Oct. 7th. Wilmington Homestead and Loan Association. oc4-2w

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FOR SALE — AT A SACRIFICE, lot at Sunset Park. Owner leaving city. Address "Sunset," care Star. oc5-3t*

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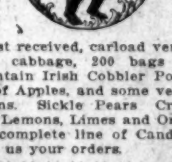

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